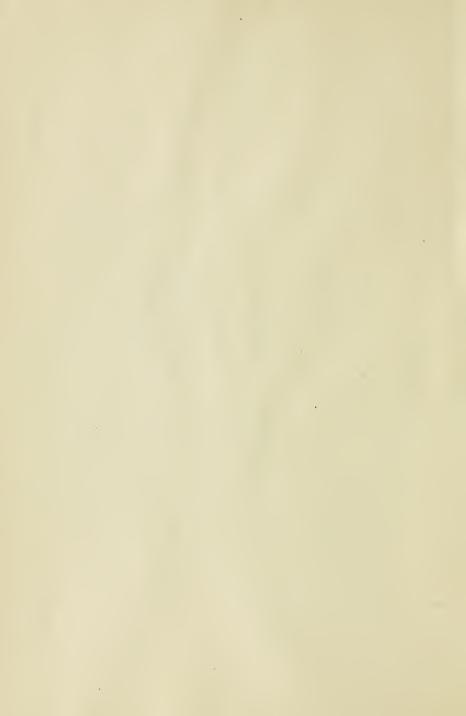




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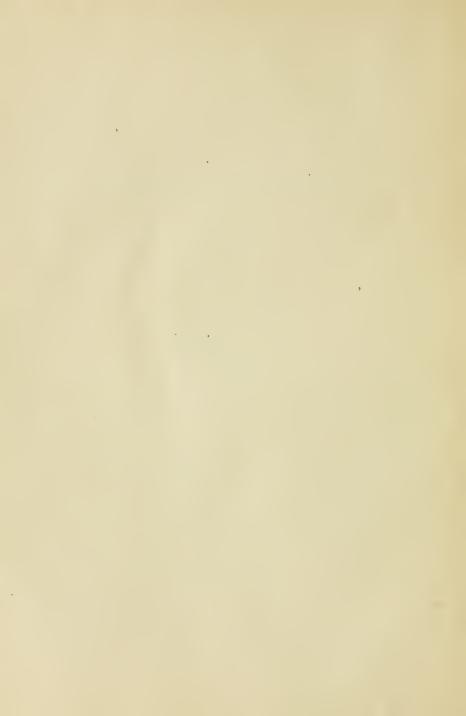
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Mechanic Falls Town Register

Early Settlement and Incorporation.

It was the village of Mechanic Falls that made the town of Mechanic Falls, and its territory was a part of ancient Bakertown. The name of this plantation had been changed in 1795, when it was incorporated as the 93rd town and named Poland. There is a difference of opinion as to the origin of the name. Some say it was named after the famous Indian chief Poland: some after the country in Europe and some after the ancient hymnmelody. In 1802 Poland was divided and the portion on the eastern side of the Little Androscoggin River was incorporated on February 18th, of that year as the 129th town and named Minot. This latter portion was subdivided in 1852 and the town of Auburn formed, which has since become a city. The territory of the town of Danville which was annexed to Auburn February 26, 1867, had been set off from Poland territory in 1852.

That portion of Bakertown now occupied by the town of Mechanic Falls was the last portion of its territory to be settled, and was made up of about equal portions of the towns of Poland and Minot. It was the water power of the Little Androscoggin that attracted settlers. river is about forty miles long and the area of its basin is 280 square miles, discharging about 10,920,000,000 cubic feet of water. It is variable, according to the season, as to the quantity of water discharged and this inequality is adjusted by the use of the numerous ponds for storage purposes. There are two falls in the river within the territory of Mechanic Falls, one at Page's Mills, of fourteen feet fall within a distance of fifteen hundred feet with a volume of 17,000 cubic feet of water per minute, and one at the village proper of thirty-seven feet in a distance of nine hundred and fifty feet, with a volume of 20,000 cubic feet of water per minute and a velocity of current of ninety-six feet per minute. There are twenty-one ponds above the village with an area of twenty-eight square miles, all of which can be used for storage purposes.

Where the beautiful village of Mechanic Falls is now located was but an unbroken wilderness until the year 1820 when Josiah Jordan, in company with others came from Poland Corner for the purpose of looking out a route for a highway to render communication with the people of Minot more convenient.

It was late in 1823, while the land was still covered with a heavy forest, that Isaiah and Luther Perkins with Captain James Farris of Hebron, erected a saw mill on what was then the Poland side of the river. This mill was soon burned and another was built, owned in part, in connection with the above named persons, by a Mr. Smith of Portland. This was also burned and another was built which stood until 1867, when it was taken down to be re-placed by a paper mill. A small lumber mill was also erected on the Minot side by Aseph Churchill and a grist mill by Isaiah Perkins. Mr. Perkins was the earliest to settle in the village.

The first dwelling house was erected in 1828 by Dean Andrews, who worked in the mills, on what is now Pieasant Street near the site of the residences of O. B. Dwinal. The same year Isaiah Perkins erected a barn on what is now Main Street, nearly opposite the Methodist church, and the following year a house near by, these are still standing, and the oldest buildings in the village. The first building on the Poland side was erected by Luther Perkins very nearly on the site of the Grand Trunk Depot. The first store was erected by Isaiah Perkins on what is now Post Office Square near where Perry's Block recently stood.

Capt. Jacob Dwinal built the third house in Mechanic Falls village, the house still stands; and the brick yard which he established, the first in town, is still in active operation.

An old kitchen clock, owned by Mrs. Mason, was the first one of its kind to be brought here. This clock was originally owned by her grandfather, Richard G. Foss who we are told, was the third settler. He built his house where Merrill's millinery store now stands.

The growth of the village was at first slow as but very few workmen were needed in the lumber mills of the early years. The first great impetus to growth was made by the establishment of the Atlantic & St. Lawrence Railroad, now the Grand Trunk, and its completion to this point in 1849, made a boom for the town. People flocked in and the village grew rapidly. The next year the railroad passed on to South Paris and the bubble burst. It has been paper making that has been of permanent value to the village and made it what it is. first mill was built in 1851 by Ebenezer Drake and Ezra Mitchell. Mitchell's part was soon purchased by Oliver B. Dwinal and this firm carried on business until it was sold to A. C. Dennison & Co. in 1865. In 1851 the last ramed company bought out Messrs. Perkins, Dunham, Moore and Waterhouse who had succeeded the original proprietors, on the Poland side and began the manufacture of paper, which has been continued with some changes of ownership until the present time.

Mechanic Falls is not a designed town. It happened by chance. For many years it had no name. Dr. Jacob Tewksbury, a famous physician half a century ago in Oxford, who was called to officiate at the birth of the first child born in Mechanic Falls (Isaiah Andrews, son of Deacon Andrews, the first resident), called the place "Jericho" from his bitter experience on this trip occuring in the night and causing him to travel over rough logging roads for seven miles. It bore this name for some time. In early times, it is said, that it took a good deal of grog to run the place and for this reason the name "Jericho"

was succeeded by "Groggy Harbor;" but the popular name was "Bog Falls" which clung to it until 1841, when a post office was established and at the suggestion of the first postmaster, Samuel F. Waterman, it was called Mechanics' Falls, which was changed to Mechanic Falls in 1887 at the suggestion of postmaster Frank A. Millett.

The village being situated in two towns found that its interests could not be served as well as they ought to be and effort was made in 1889 to have the two sides incorporated, that a better system of police and fire protection could be inaugurated and better schools established. Many were opposed to this. The legislature of 1889 granted a charter for this purpose with the provision that it must be accepted by a majority of the voters on both sides. This charter was defeated by the lack of six votes on the Poland side. On February 29, 1891, the Poland side was incorporated under a charter granted by the legislature that winter, when it inaugurated the plan of a village divided against itself. This did not meet with the satisfaction of the larger portion of the citizens and a petition was presented to the legislature of 1893 to set off the following defined portions of the towns of Poland and Minot and form the town of Mechanic Falls. After a severe struggle this act was passed March 22 1893. The town limits are as follows:

Beginning at a point in Gardiner brook (so called) on to Oxford town line where said brook enters the town of Minot; thence following said Oxford town line to Winter brook (so called) in the town of Poland; following the line of said brook to the road to Winter bridge, (so called) thence following the line of said road leading to Mechanic Falls to Cousins brook (so called); thence following the line of said Cousins brook (so called); to Waterhouse brook (so called); thence continuing from said Waterhouse brook to the lot line at the south-westerly corner of the Alanson Briggs Place in Poland; thence continuing on said lot to the Little Androscoggin River; thence up the line of said river to a point where Bog Brook (so called) enters the same; thence up said Bog brook to Gardiner brook (so called); thence up the line of said Gardiner brook to the point of beginning on Oxford line.

PIGEON HILL.

So far this history has been confined, almost exclusively, to the territory occupied by the village of Mechanic Falls; but there is a part of the town, known as Pigeon Hill, which is purely an agricultural community. To be sure there is a stretch of farming country up the valley of the little Androscoggin and another on that eminence known as Mount Hunger, but these sections have been built up by the village and largely dependent upon it. Pigeon Hill was settled before the village and is the only portion of the town which has the appearance of antiquity.

The first settlers on Pigeon Hill were Jabez True, and Capt. Day, who came from New Gloucester in 1779 or 1780, and made an opening on what is known as the A. C. Dennison farm and for many years these were the only settlers. From 1790 to 1795 quite a number of settlers came from New Gloucester and Poland Empire.

Jabez True was born in New Gloucester in 1771 and married Hannah Jackson of Poland. This family has perhaps been the most prominent on the hill. Families in those days were large and there was one singular thing about them—the usual number of children seemed to be twelve and there were twelve in this family. Their children were, Sally, Jabez, John, Elizabeth, Hannah, Moses, Rocksyllania, Miriam, Abagail, Otis, Rebecca and Daniel W. They were an industrious family and several of them gained distinction in the mercantile world. The fine old mansion was built in 1802, which at the death of Jabez, descended to his son, Daniel W. and after to his only son Frank D.

Captain Ripley cleared the next above the True farm, occupied for many years by Alden Chandler and afterwards by S. N. Haskell. Captain Ripley, came from Plympton, Massachusetts, and brought with him a negro slave, Black Joe, or Joe Prince, as he was called, the only slave ever owned within the limits of the town of MechanicFalls.

Jacob Strout took up a part of the same lot with Captain Ripley. He married Salley Bray, of the Empire and left quite a family of children (viz.) Sally, Joshua, Nabby, Jacob, Joseph, Nathaniel, Cyrena, Hobert, Adoniram, Cynthia and William. Mr. Strout met with a painful accident while clearing his land. In fastening a chain around a log he wished to haul, the oxen became frightened and run to the house and the hook of the chain caught in the fleshy part of the leg and he was dragged after the oxen. He very narrowly escaped

death and was lame ever after.

Eben Marble took the next lot west of the Ripley farm and came with his bride, Sarah Cash of Cape Elizabeth, in 1790. He lived here until 1812 when he enlisted as a soldier in the war then raging between this country and England, went to Burlington, Vermont, and died there.

Among the prominent families of the section are the Dennings. George and Simeon, brothers, came from Salem, Massachusetts, in 1791 or 1792 and took lots on the hill. George cleared several sections of land and built first a log house on what is known as the Haley Pulsifer farm, which being burned, caused him to buy the lot west and to erect a building on the farm now owned by his grandson, J. K Denning. Simeon made several clearings, lived in several places on the hill and in 1830 moved to Shirley, Maine, where he died. Both of these men left large families who have been prominent in this section. George married Elenel Rollins of New Gloucester, by whom he had twelve children as follows; Samuel, Stephen, Hannah, Ruth, Ruth 2d, Basheby, George, Job, Moses, Rhoda, James and Jacob. Simeon Denning married Rebecca Chickering and had eleven children; Simeon, Peter, Frederic, John, Levi, Lyford, Elena, Lydia, Joseph, Lois and Otis.

Among the earlier settlers was Dr. Peter Brooks, "an Indian doctor" who came from Plympton, Massachusetts, and has the distinction of building the first frame house within the present town of Mechanic Falls. It is said that he came by his death from inhaling poison

from the fangs of rattlesnakes, which he used to get from Rattlesnake Mountain in Raymond, during the winter season, for the oil which he used in his practice.

John Cousins of Wells, came to the hill in 1795. He married for his first wife Lucy Hatch and for his second Sarah Cushman of Hebron. He purchased the Jabez True opening. His family consisted of fourteen as follows: Samuel, William, Sarah, Eliza, Lucy, Thomas, Susan, Abagail, Humphrey, Mary J., Adaline, Harriet, Jacob T. and James D.

Alden Chandler came from Plympton, Massachusetts, in 1800. By his first wife, Priscilla Cushman of Hebron, he had ten children; Priscilla, Harvey, Alvin, Josiah, Lydia, Christania, Benjamin F., Gaius, Jacob and Rachel T. His second wife was Hepzebah Cooledge of Livermore.

Nathaniel Bray came to this locality from the Empire in 1818 and Daniel Bray, his brother, in 1820. Many of their descendants live here and a section of the town is called the Bray District in their honor. They left five children each. Nathaniel married Deborah Keene and their children were; Mary, Xoa, Stephen, James and Eliphalet. Daniel married Xoa Keene and their children were; George W., Sullivan A., Emeline, Daniel J., and Jefferson.

The business of the hill has been agriculture but in early days (1820) Reuben B. Dunn kept a store here, Hiram Hilburn did blacksmithing and Joseph Perkins made earthern pans.

Industrial Account.

It was the waterpower of the little Androscoggin which occasioned the settlement of the land on the present site of the village of Mechanic Falls, and has been the sole source of its growth and prosperity. To present things in their natural order, the manufacturies which have been promoted by the falls would come first.

The natural industries of the state of Maine have been the turning of the products of her forests into merchandise and therefore the pioneer industry of every town, almost without exception, has been lumbering. To this rule Mechanic Falls was no exception. The first industry was a lumber mill which was situated on, what is now known, as the upper dam. Boards, shingles, and boxes were turned out here and the mill operated by Isaiah Perkins, Luther Perkins and James Farris. In the box mill a Mr. Smith of Portland owned a share. This was built as has been stated, in 1823. This business continued with some changes until 1851. Messrs. Moore, Dunham and Waterheuse had bought into the water power and introduced small woolen manufacturies of their own. Shortly after the building of the first saw mill, a grist mill was erected by Isaiah Perkins which for many years, did a large business for the times.

In 1851, the character of the business changed, in the line of a natural resource, to the manufacture of paper. At that time rags were almost exclusively used for this purpose and no one dreamed of the possibilities held in our forests, in the way of pulp. The first paper mill was

built by Ebenezer Drake and Ezra Mitchell on the eastern side of the river, in 1851. Oliver B. Dwinal and W. C. Dwinal soon bought out Mitchell's share and this firm was known as Drake, Dwinal & Co., who continued in this business until 1865, when they sold out to A. C. Dennison & Co., who had already established a business of the same kind on the opposite side of the river.

A. C. Dennison & Co., built their first mill, known as the Eagle, in 1851 having bought out one half of the power at the upper dam. The firm consisted of Adna C. Dennison and E. W. Filer. This mill with machinery cost \$45,000 and made from rag stock, a ton of paper every twentyfour hours. In 1862 Adna T. Dennison bought out Filer's interest and machinery to prepare and use straw was introduced at considerable expense. In 1865 the land below the upper mills was bought, the second dam built and the Star mill completed. In 1865, also a new mill was built on the site of the old Drake & Dwinal mill. In 1866, the lower dam and the Poland Pulp mill were built, also the stone dam and flumes on the upper privilege. About the same time the mills and privilege at Range Pond were purchased with rights of flowage and a stone reservoir dam built. At the next legislature a charter was obtained to control the water. The Calendar mill on the upper dam was built also at this time, as well as machine and carpenter shops. In 1873 The Dennison Paper Manufacturing Company was formed with a capital stock of \$500,000. Adna C. and Adna T. Dennison and Mrs. C. M. Cram, stockholders. In 1879 and 1880 a chemical pulp mill was built at Canton to supply the mills at Mechanic Falls with pulp. In 1887 these extensive works passed into the hands of a new company known as the Poland Paper Company, with capital stock of \$300,000. The officers of this company were: President, Arthur Sewall, Bath; Chas. R. Milliken, clerk and Treasurer, Portland; directors, Arthur Sewall, James Munroe, George C. Wing, W. S. Dana, W. G. Davis, W. H. Milliken, Frank D. True, Superintendent, C. H. Milliken. At the time they acquired this property it employed 175 hands, used twenty tons of pulp daily and its monthly shipment of manufactured goods amounted to \$50,000. In 1891 a spur track was laid out from the Grand Trunk Railway line, one-half mile below the depot to the mills. The same year the carpenter and machine shops of the company were burned, which were rebuilt with brick the following year. In 1893 a gigantic brick mill was built extending from Poland Pulp mill, which forms a part of the new mill on the lower dam to the Eagle on the upper dam, with a capacity of thirty tons of manufactured paper per day. The Star mill which had stood in the center of the new mill was torn down and a stone wall built the entire way changing the course of the river and turning quite a portion of river bottom into dry land and covered in part by the site of the new mill. The present officers of this company are C. H. Milliken, Treasurer, C. R. Milliken, Manager.

One mile above the village and within the limits of the town, is another privilege, which for many years was owned and used as a saw mill by Moses Page. In



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1868, this privilege was bought by J. A. Bucknam, who improved the lumber and grist mills and operated them for fifteen years, since that time the privilege has been unused.

For many years John Winslow run a tannery on ground now occupied as a part of the site of the Diamond paper mill. Along in the seventies Mr. Winslow failed and the property passed into the hands of Warren Winslow, who operated it a few years, when it was sold to A. C. Dennison & Co.

Cabinet making has been carried on in the town since 1841 by Lowell Valentine, Nelson Valentine, R. L.

McPherson, William Eldridge, D. S. Perkins, D. B. Perry and J. S. Merrill. In 1878, Andrew J. Weston began as contractor and builder and has continued ever since.

Brick making has been a prominent business ever since 1865. For many years there was a yard on Main Street near its junction with Dwinal, but it has not been operated for twenty years. Fessenden & Morrill operated one for many years on the Poland road. This was sold in the seventies to Thurston & Waterhouse who operated it until 1880 when it was discontinued. In 1893 a new yard was opened on Water Street by the Mechanic Falls Brick Company, consisting of Horace Purington & Co., of Waterville, and F. O Purington, of Mechanic Falls.

In the early seventies, the shoe factory manufacturies of Massachusetts began to feel the power of combined labor and to desire to get away from those centers which made this power possible; so they made overtures to small country villages to erect them factories and thereby increase their size and importance. Mechanic Falls took advantage of one of those opportunities and built the factory on Main Street near the Grand Trunk Railway, for Berry, Field & Company. But the village was unfortunate in this company, as it has been in It soon failed. The Ventilevery one since that time. ating Waterproof Company took its place to stay but a short time. Then came Thompson & Company to follow the path of the others. The old factory was then placed in the hands of J. A. Bucknam & Company, and

has since been used as a ready-made clothing factory. In 1881 J. Harris & Son's of Marblehead, Massachusetts, made a proposition to the village to build them a factory which they would lease for ten years, and carry on therein the manufacture of shoes. This the village concluded to do and organized the Mechanic Falls Manufacturing Company for the purpose of building the proposed building. O. B. Dwinal was elected president, which position he filled until 1892, with the exception of one year when C. E. Stevens filled the chair. The proposed factory was built at a cost of \$15,000, and occupied by the lessees. They stayed for the stipulated time when they concluded to return to their factories in Marblehead. Labor had become organized in the small towns the same as in cities and it was no advantage for companies to remain so far from the base of operations and many a Maine town suffered from the loss of this industry.

In 1871 the village embarked in an industry from which it hoped to reap great profits. This was the manufacture of magazine rifles, invented by George F. Evan's. The Evans' Rifle Company was organized for this purpose. The majority of this stock was owned by the Dennison Paper Company. This arm was adopted by the Russian government, but the expense of equipping the shop to make the guns was so great that it failed both companies, and the plant was moved to Massachusetts in 1878.

The Packing Business was inaugurated here in 1873, by J. W. Jones. In 1886 it passed into the hands of

General Charles P. Maddocks, and in 1890, into the possession of John Hanscom, and the following year it was leased to the Portland Packing Company. In 1888 a new company was formed in the village, known as the Minot Packing Company, formed by H. E. Thurston, and J. A. Gerry, of Mechanic Falls and H. F. Hayford and J. W. Bicknell of Canton. In 1890 Hayford and Bicknell sold their interests to the former patrons.

The manufacture of clothing has been carried on in this village for many years by J. A. Bucknam & Co., Dwinal & Golderman, Joseph Bucknam & Son, Golderman & Cummings, P. T. Murray, and W. B. Bucknam. The former company having carried it on to a large extent and have at times, given employment to as many as one thousand persons.

Toothpicks have been manufactured in town by E. E. Edgecomb and E. A. Harris.

Pumps were manufactured at one time by T. B. Swan and J. C. Walker.

In 1872 the machine shop and foundry of J. W. Penney was established and has grown from a small beginning to large proportions. In 1884 A. R. and S. R. Penney were admitted to the firm and name changed to J. W. Penney & Son's.

Among the industries, which, while not directly located in the village have been a source of prosterity, is the railroads. The Atlantic & St. Lawrence Railroad was organized and a charter obtained Feb. 10, 1845. It reached Mechanic Falls in 1849, bringing a boom to

the place. It continued on to Montreal and in later years to Chicago, with a branch to Quebec.

On June 22, 1847, a road running from Mechanic Falls to Buckfield was chartered and opened on Oct. 10, 1849, known as the Buckfield Branch. This soon failed and was succeeded by the Portland & Oxford Central Railroad Company, who operated it off and on for twenty years, extending it to Canton. They finally abandoned it. In 1874 it was resumed by the Rumford Falls & Buckfield Railroad Company. In 1892 it was extended to Rumford Falls and in 1893, to Auburn, and opened to traffic to the latter place on Feb. 12, 1894.



Military Matters

The following is a list of former residents of Mechanic Falls who served in the war of the rebellion. These men enlisted from the towns of Poland and Minot but, were from the section afterwards incorporated as Mechanic Falls.

The record made by these brave boys who went to the front is an honor to their noble ancestry, and a credit to their many descendants in the town:

Wellington Dwinal, H. H. Hutchinson, Charles E. Harris, A. H. Hutchinson, Hiram B. King, Orrin Dwinal, Hiram P. Bailey, Eleazor B Atwood, Elmer Chipman, Josiah Carr, William A. Tobie, Hamlin T. Bucknam, Charles Andrews, John F. Bancroft, William A. Campbell, Charles W. Campbell, Augustus A. Dwinal, Burbank Spiller, Almund H. Hutchinson, Samuel H. Hutchinson, Henry H. Hutchinson, Charles F. McKenney, Harrison J. Dwinal, Charles Dore, Arthur M. Brown, William E. Morton, William H. Everett, Fabian Churchill, Adelbert Churchill, Joseph H. Durgin, Cyrus M. Lord, Ezra Mitchell Jr., Robert W. Carr, James F. Gerry, Isaac A. Whittemore, Percival D. Herrick, James N. Nason, Lemuel T. Marshall, Lorenzo Mayberry, George J. Fuller, Elmer Chipman, Hiram C. Curtis, Albion A. Drake, Joseph C. Bray, Azel W. Drake, Darius Holt, James R. Holt, Samuel L. Brown, James S. Small, William M. Perkins, Lewis J. Morton, Newton E. Stowe Charles E. Strout, George P. McCarty, Augustus Golderman, A. M. Churchill, Asa L. Downs, Alexander Campbell, James L. Fuller, George F. Perkins, George F. Sawyer, Orrin Whittemore, Otho W. Burnham, George G. Bridgham, John Noyes, Andrew J. Pettee, Tilson Waterman, Josiah Winslow, Hiram Moore, Frank H. Hall. James L. Dingley, Stephen G. Bray, E. D. Chandler, Lemuel T. Marshall, Edwin Woodsum, David Woodsum, William E. Farrar, L. F. Tenney, Dexter D. Skinner, Elmer Chipman, Zebedee Cushman, Francis E. Dwinal, Ronello C. Dwinal, Darius Holt, Jabez T. Denning, Edward F. Ross, Augustus A. Dwinal, Richard E. Maxwell, Horace Perkins,

Perhaps as important as any of these organizations in the village is A. A. Dwinal Post, Grand Army of the Republic; reminding us as it does, of a struggle yet familiar to middle-aged people and to which the nation reverts with pride. The Post was named after one of the youngest citizen soldiers of Mechanic Falls and a Lieutenant of the seventeenth Maine Regiment. It was instituted July 18, 1872. The following persons have filled the post of commander:

Josiah Carr, H. A. Sawyer, H. T. Bucknam, Edward Fuller, E. F. Ross, F. R. Harmon, H. B. King, W. H. Poole, W. C. Bridge, C. B. Adams, G. B. Robbins, F. E. Dwinal, A. L. Downs, G. W. Sholes, F. A. Millett, C. N. Burns, Orrin Downs, Joseph Gould, A. V. Edie, D. D. Skinner. Connected with this Post is the A. A. Dwinal Relief Corps, and A. J. Pettee Camp, No. 60, Sons of Veterans.

In 1887 the post erected a monument in memory of those who fell during the war as the following inscription taken from it will show.



MONUMENT

Dedicated May 30, A. D., 1887.

To the memory
of those comrades who died
during the war
1861—1865,
By A. A. Dwinal
Post, No. 3,
and
Woman's Relief Corps,
No. 32, G. A. R.,
Mechanic Falls, Maine.



CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

CHURCH AFFAIRS

The first regularly organized church in Mechanic Falls was that of the Congregational Society. The earlier believers in this particular faith had been members of the church at Poland and the organization in the village of Mechanic Falls was at first a branch of that church. The church was organized by an ecclesiastical council held in the house of Johr Valentine, June 15, 1845, with

the following persons as members: John Valentine, Joseph H. Hall, Sophia Hall, Salmon Hackett, Laurana Hackett, Samuel Chandler, Lowell and Nelson Valentine, Mrs. Pamelia Foss and Mrs. Nancy P. Alden other branches of the church were under the charge of Rev. Thomas Williams, preaching on alternate Sundays at Poland Corner and Mechanic Falls. The first church service was held in the school house on the eastern side of the river, July 12, 1840. The lot on which the present church edifice stands was presented by John Valentine and a vestry was built during the summer of 1841, and dedicated December 30, 1841. On November 2, 1842, the branch became an independent body with Rev. Nathan Cobb as pastor. The church edifice was completed and dedicated in 1848 and the old vestry removed in 1850. In 1886 the church was remodeled, repaired and a basement vestry added in 1886. Following is a list of pastors: Nathan Cobb, 1842-47; Enos Merrill, 1847-55; William N. Jordan, 1855-59; Horatio Illsley, 1859-62; Joseph Kyte, 1862-64; the pulpit was then supplied by Rev's. George W. Campbell, E. T. Bouchers, F. M. Davis, A. C. Herrick, E. S. Jordan, H. Witcher, R. J. Langradge and Profs, Stanley, Hayes and Angell until April 1, 1874, when Rev. F, E. Emrich, became pastor and remained until 1882, he was succeeded by Rev C. A. White, 1882-88; Rev. H. S. Woodrow, 1888 to 1889; then by Rev. F. Newport. Rev. Frederick Newport remained until May, 1898 when he was succeeded by Rev. C. W. Fisher who remained until June 1902 when he went to Portland.

During his pastorate a fine organ was presented to the church by one of its original members. 24 members were united with the church during the four years he remained with the church. Rev. H. F. Burdon, came to the church in Sept. 1902, and is doing good work for the church.

Free Baptist

The second and in some respects the oldest, was the Free Baptist. Rev. Christopher Macy of this denomination it seems preached here as early as 1828. In 1847 this society united with the others in building a union church which was sold to the Baptists in 1889. This church had few regular pastors with long intervals in which there was no preaching at all.

The first Baptist conference was held at Mechanic Falls in the year 1855 and preaching was sustained one-fourth of the time by Rev. A. K. P. Small. The church was organized in September 1857, with forty-one members. Following is a list of pastors: A. K. P. Small, D. D., Adam Wilson, D. D., Abner Merrill, A. C. Herrick, L. P. Gurney, R. J. Langradge, J.S. Studley, C. E. Harden, and W. H. Clark, Messrs W. Swett, and R. Denning, members of the church, occupied the pulpit at times. R. B. Andrews, Eben Drake, A. B. Dwinal, Joseph Buckman, S. Woodman, Gilman Thayer, and S. U. Hawkes, have been deacons. Isaac P. Bumpus, A. B. Dwinal and J. S. Merrill have been clerks. In 1888 the

church was remodeled, repaired, and re-dedicated. Since 1893 the following have been pastors, T. I. Sweat, J. N. Studley, E. C. Harding, W. H. Clark, Chas. Chamberlain, Geo. Chase, L. H. Clark, Sidney Packard, W. H. Whittier.

Methodist

Mechanic Falls was made a station of the Methodist church by the Maine Annual Conference, April 27, 1859, with Rev. J. C. Perry as pastor. Before this time services by this denomination had been held in the Union church, which was partly owned by Methodists, a portion of the time by the pastors in charge of the Poland church and circuit. A church edifice was erected on Main Street and dedicated in 1860. was burned April 1, 1877. A new church was soon erected and dedicated in 1880. Following is a list of pastors: Rev. J. C. Perry, 1856, James McMillan, 1860; Kinsman Atkinson, 1861; J. C. Perry, 1862-63; John Woodbury, 1864; William H. Foster, 1865-66; John Gibson, 1867-68; Joseph Hawkes, 1869-70; J. A. Fletcher, 1871; Daniel Waterhouse, 1872-74; W. B. Bartlett, 1875-77; J. H. Trask. 1878; H. Chase, 1879-80; Daniel Church, 1881-83; W. S. Jones, 1885-87; C. F. Cobb, 1888-90; C. E. Springer, 1890; C. F. Parsons. 1891-92; and G. C. Andrews, 1893. The parsonage was built in 1872. Since 1893 the Methodist Church was served by the following men: 1893-94, G. C. Andrews; 1895-97, T.

P. Baker; 1898-1901, A. Hamilton; 1902-05, F. C. Norcross. A fine church property is owned by the society on Main Street all in good repair and free from debt. The church and parsonage sit on adjoining lots.



UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Universalist

It is recorded that the first Universalist sermon ever preached in Mechanic Falls was by Rev. Zenas Thompson in 1840. A church was organized April 8, 1862, and services held in Curtis Hall. A church was built and dedicated in January 1864. Rev. A. G. Gaines, D. D., was the first pastor and he has been followed by Revs. Zenas Thompson, S. S. Davis, M. J. Steere, C. S. Whitman, W. W. Hooper, W. S. Perkins, R. F. Johonnet, G. G. Hamilton and F. E. Barton. In 1875, the church was enlarged and a vestry, called Murray Hall built underneath. Rev. W. E. Gaskin was pastor of this church prior to Sept. 1903, following his removal Rev. F. E. Barton, State Supt., Rev. S. G. Davis and Rev. Elinor S. Forbes supplied in the pulpit. Rev. F. H. Cole came in June, 1904. Mr. F. A. Golderman has served as Sunday School Supt. for about eight years. This church is the largest in town, having a seating capacity of about 500.

Advents

The Adventists have held occasional meetings in Mechanic Falls for many years and a yearly campmeeting was held at Pottle Grove for two decades or Association bought fifteen acres on the Lewiston road, erected buildings and seats where their yearly meetings are now held. A few years ago a church was organized in town, holding their meetings in halls. They have had two pastors,—Rev. J. A. Libby and Rev. Mrs. Jessie Jordan. In 1903 Mrs. Jordan resigned but has frequently supplied the Church to the present time. This Church is in a prosperous condition and its membership has increased in the last twelve years about one-third. The present clerk is H. B. King.

Educational Account

We cannot do better than to cast a glance toward the typical common school as known in Maine in the early days. Even as soon as our forefathers, almost invariably of Puritan extraction had located themselves in the forests of the Pine Tree State and began their efforts of erecting churches, they made provisions for the common school. They in common with us of today considered education the bulwark of our institutions, the institutions for the establishment of which they had fought and bled. They knew therefore better than we how much depended upon the proper guilance of the newly established government. They saw their liberties and property, we had almost said wrapt

up in the future of the new government, which Washington had said was "one today and thirteen tomorrow." Is it a strange thing that these people who so well understood the significance of these trying years, should so thoroughly grasp at the thought that in education of the masses lay their only hope of ultimate success? No, they saw well their duty and as pioneers prepared to meet it. A room in the little log cabin became the university of the wilderness, and humble as was this first effort, mighty results came from it. From out of these rough, low-roofed structures walked men who were yet to meet the representatives of the courts of Europe, in the battlefield, in diplomacy, and in scores of other capacities from which they were emerged unscathed. This system of education went on till it almost became a necessary thing for a man to reach the president's chair that he be able to present a career begun in "The Little Red Schoolhouse" in the backwoods hamlet. It was not that the people loved wealth and culture less, but that they loved the more the homely virtues inspired by healthy atmosphere of the country. And as we look back today over the progress of our school system, we dwell with pride upon the record it has made. But this system like all others was expected to advance and it has advanced.



HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

The value of the public schools has ever been recognized by the settlers and citizens of the towns of Maine, and their support has been well provided for from the first as a matter of course. The history of the early schools of Mechanic Falls is the history of

the towns of Poland and Minot. This part of those towns comprised, on the Minot side, district No. 1, established in 1831; and district No. 20 on the Poland side of the river. These were the ungraded district schools of a typical section and served the interests of education as well as could be provided for. Along in the sixties there arose a desire for better educational facilities and in 1867 a petition to Justice S. F. Waterman, signed by E. G. Hawkes, A. C. Dennison, A. T. Dennison, OW. Hawkes, William Childs, J. A. Bucknam, E. M. Thurston, D. S. Perkins and J. S. Merrill was made to call a meeting which resulted in the formation of a union district, comprised of the two districts already mentioned. This district was formed March 30, 1867. Rev. A. G. Gaines, D. D., J. M. Eveleth, M. D., Alanson Briggs and A. T. Dennison were elected to grade the schools.

In 1871 the need of a new school building to accommodate the number and different grades of the scholars in the village was deeply felt, which resulted in the building of the brick school on Water Street, in which until 1883 was held the high school. Nathaniel Cushman, J. S. Gerry, O. B. Dwinal, O. B. Moore and Alanson Briggs, were the building committee. It cost \$8863,85.

At a special meeting November 26, 1887, the town of Poland abolished the district school system and adopted the town system, thereby terminating the union district, all but paying a debt of \$2,000,00 on the Water Street school house, which was raised at a special meet-

ing held April 7, 1888. This left the Poland side without adequate school buildings. On the annual meeting of March 12, 1888, Poland voted to raise \$5,000 to build a suitable school building at Mechanic Falls. A fine building was erected on Elm Street and completed in season for the fall term of school of that year, at a cost of \$4,942, under charge of W. W. Waterman and A. J. Weston.

The schools are now well graded and are under the successful management of F. L. Waterman, J. K. D enning, and J. W. Wayne. J. M. Libby is superintendent, Prof. H. Stewart is principal of the high school.



PROFESSIONAL MEN.

Physicians

The first settled physician of Mechanic Falls was Josiah Carr, who not only practiced here for forty years, but was one of the first citizens of the village. Doctors D. W. Sawyer, C. L. Holt, J. M. Eveleth, H. L. Torrey, E. F. Bradford, A. L. Gaubert, J. D. Holt, Albion Cobb, C. M. Cobb, and C. H. Tobie. C. B. Rankin, L. O. Cobb, of the allopathic school have practiced here; homeopathic, Henry Waters, William Waters, E. C. Heath and A. D. Bowman.

Dentists

Dr. Childs was probably the first in town. J. W. Curtis, N. Gammon, N. T. Marshall, and W. H. Spear; A. W. Butler is now located here.

Lawyers

The names of the legal profession are not so numerous as those of the physicians and are as follows: Robert Carr, William H. McClellan, David Dunn, T. B. Swan, C. F. Whitman, C. L. Warren, Elliot King, J. M. Libby, I. W. Hanson, J. A. Roberts, William Green, F. O. Purington, and A. C. Andrews.

Postmasters

Samuel F. Waterman, 1841; Jacob Dwinal, 1845; Samuel Carr, 1849; Merrill W. Strout, 1851; Alexander B. Dwinal, 1853; Charles K. Smith, 1856; Samuel F. Waterman, 1861; Oliver B. Dwinal, 1866; Joseph Bucknam, 1869; Jason Hall, 1869; F. E. Dwinal 1883; Frank A. Millett, 1887; F. E. Dwinal, 1891; L. W. Mason, and J. H. DeCoster the present postmaster.

Town Officials

The following is a list of the men who have served the town as selectmen, clerks and treasurers, since the incorporation of the town in 1893. These men are among the leading men of the town.

Selectmen

1893-94—A. J. Weston, F. H. McDonald, J. K. Denning

1895-A. J. Weston, J. W. Penney, E. K. Holbrook

1896-A. J. Weston, E. K. Holbrook, F. E. Dwinal

1897-A. J. Weston, E. K. Holbrook, Ernest Smith

1898—A. J. Weston, J. K. Denning, J. E. Saunders

1899-F. A. Millett, Frank H. Cobb, Solon H. Davis

1900-F. A. Millett, E. F. Smith, Solon H. Davis

1901–'02–'03—F. H. Cobb, E. K. Holbrook, J. E. Saunders

1904—E. K. Holbrook, Tillson Waterman, J. E. Saunders

Clerks and Treasurers

The same man serving in both offices

C. H. Dwinal, 1893;

J. H. DeCoster, 1894-95-96-97-98;

Clarence M. Hutchins, 1899-1900-'01-'02-'03-04

Societies

· Secret societies occupy a prominent place in the modern life of every village, and Mechanic Falls is no exception to the general rule.

Masons

The first of these societies to be organized in almost every village was a Masonic Lodge. On January 21, 1853, a dispensation was granted to George Moore, Daniel W. True, Nathaniel Bray, Augustus Golderman, George Hathaway, Josiah Carr and Samuel Atwood, to open and hold a Freemason's Lodge in Mechanic Falls, to be known as Fraternal Lodge. George Moore was first master and the first meeting U, D,, was held on January 24, 1853. Fraternal Lodge held nineteen communications but when a charter was granted May 10, 1853, it was to Tyrian Lodge, No. 73, with rank of precedence from January 1, 1853.

Royal Arch Chapter

In 1872, nine months and twenty-six days dispensation was granted for a chapter of Royal Arch Masons at Mechanic Falls, to be known as Union Royal Arch Chapter. The Chapter held its first meeting October 8, 1872, and a charter was granted May 7, 1873, which was consituted October 9, 1873. In 1882 a dispensation was given, changing the place of meeting to Norway and the next year that place was continued as the home of the

chapter. Following is a list of High Priests while the Chapter had its home in Mechanic Falls. J. M. Eveleth, E. F. Stevens, P. R. Cobb, J. F. Briggs.

In 1891 a dispensation was granted for St. Andrews' Royal Arch Chapter and a charter was granted July 14, 1893. P. R. Cobb was the first High Priest.

Odd Fellows

In September, 1874, Alvin Reed, Charles H. Dwinal, F. A. Millett, G. L. Reed, and D. N. McCann held an informal meeting to see about the propriety of organizing a lodge of Odd Fellows. Their application was granted and Monami Lodge, No. 40, was instituted November 20, 1874, Colfax Lodge, No. 20, Daughters of Rebekah is connected with this lodge.

Encampment

Orion Encampment of Odd Fellows was instituted November 20, 1878. Following is a list of Past Chief Patriarchs down to 1893. George L. Reed, Frank A. Millett, Diman B. Perry, Hiram Perkins, P. T. Murray, William M. Greenlief, P. D. Herrick, Luther Perkins, A. J. Weston, A. Lewis Gaubert, Charles Lane, E. A. Thomas, George W. Robbins, S. T. Rowe, F. E. Thurlow, A. V. Hathaway, H. E. Thurston. O. M. Guptill, A. E. True, W. W. Dennen, L. W. Mason.

Knights of Pythias

St. Elmo Lodge, Knights of Pythias, was instituted at Mechanic Falls, December 18, 1885, called after the famous fortress which once protected and still looks down on the city and bay of Naples. The first chancellor was A. W. Bridge.

Charity Assembly, No. 10, Pythian sisterhood, is connected with this lodge,

Red Men

Osceola Tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, No. 24, was established in this village, February 13, 1891. The first Sachem was L. W. Mason.

Golden Cross

Agassiz Commandery, No. 285, United Order of the Golden Cross, was instituted July 8, 1883, by D. G. C. Tristram Hersey of Auburn. The first Noble Commander of the lodge was John D. Holt.

New England Order of Protection

Androscoggin Lodge of the New England Order of Protection was established January 23, 1893. F. H. McDonald was the first Warden.

Newspapers

The newspaper life of a village is always interesting and Mechanic Falls has witnessed many attempts to establish one within the narrow limits which its situation assigns to journalism.

The Down Easter, published by William Cady. was the first paper of the village, a small sheet whose life was short. The Androscoggin Herald was started in 1867 by William Moody and John F. Moody. This continued several years and during this time the senior proprietor became sole owner. He removed the plant to Skowhegan. William Moody has been connected with the Somerset Reporter, The Woman's Journal and Boston Herald, and his brother John, has been the successful principal of Hebron, and Bridgton Academies and at present of Edward Little High School. After an interval in which no paper was published, the Herald was resurrected by Wm. H. Clark & Son, and published several years, when it was removed to Auburn.

Shortly after the removal of the Herald, the Citizen was established by Charles S. Allen and Charles Moore. After a year or so, Moore sold out to Allen, who run it several years then sold out to Thurston & Garland. In a year or two the senior partner, Mr. H. E. Thurston, sold his share to the junior partner and his father, who continued until 1882, when the paper was discontinued. In 1884 the Mechanic Falls Ledger was established by H.

A. Poole and F. L. Davis. Davis soon sold out to Poole and shortly after G. W. Poole was admitted to the firm, under the name of Poole Brothers. They run in connection with the Ledger, a book and job printing establishment. This firm failed in 1892 and the Ledger was discontinued in March of that year. The plant of this company was purchased in June of the same year by Charles E. Waterman, F. H. McDonald and F. L. Perkins, who re-established the Ledger on the first day of July, 1892.

Besides these papers devoted to local matters, a monthly devoted to the Masonic Relief Association was published by W. E. Merrill and The Bee-Keepers' advanced by J. B. Mason & Sons. In the spring of 1892, the Weekly News was established by E. F. Edgecomb, but run only three months.

Book making has been indulged in by the citizens of the village to a limited extent. Mrs, Julia Schayer made the village her residence a portion of the time during the seventies and incorporated a part of her experience here in a book entitled "Tiger Lily". Rev. M. J. Steere, who was once pastor of the Universalist church, was the author of a book called "Footprints Heavenward." In 1890 a History of Poland was published by H. A. and G. W. Poole which had the peculiarity of being written by Poland men, set up, electrotyped and printed by Poland workmen, in a Poland office and on paper manufactured in the same town. In 1892 Dr. E. F. Bradford published a medical work entitled "A Handbook of Emergencies and Common Ailments," which has had a large sale.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Postmaster, James H. DeCoster

Selectmen, E. K. Holbrook, Tillson Waterman, J. E. Saunders

Town Clerk and Treasurer, Clarence M. Hutchins

Collector L. W. Mason

Road Commissioner, E. A. Faunce

School Committee, E. L. Waterman, J. K. Denning, J. W. Wayne Supt. J. M. Libby

Board of Health, M. N. Royal, Sec.

Clergymen, F. C. Norcross, Meth; vacant, Univ; W. H. Whittier, Bap; H. F. Burdon, Cong; Mrs. Jessie Jordan, Adv.

Dentist, A. W. Butler

Physicians, Charles H. Tobie, C. B. Rankin, L. O. Cobb

Lawyers, Libby and Andrews, F. O. Purington

Notaries, Frank O. Purington, May 9, 1809; Clarence M. Hutchins, April 2, 1908

Justices, J. M. Libby, April 17, 1910; Frank A. Millett, May 9, 1908; A. C. Andrews, Dec. 16, 1904; Mildred F. Millett, May. 9, 1905, to administer oaths; F. O. Purington, July 22, 1908, F. L. Marston, April 15, 1911 Quorum; F. H. Cobb, Dec. 29; 1906, Trial

Merchants-Apothecaries, Merrill and Denning, W. G. Pulsifer

Auctioneer, H. T. Bucknam

Bees and Bee Keepers Supplies, J. B. Mason

Books and Stationery, Merrill and Denning, W. G. Pulsifer

Boots and Shoes, O. B. Dwinal, F. A. Goldermann, A. A. Woodsum (also bicyles

Clothing, Hats and Gent's Furnishing Goods, O. B. Dwinal, A. A, Woodsum, S. L. Hawley

Furnishings, L. P. Cates

Carriages and Sleighs, Jordan & Saunders

Coal, A. J. Weston

Confectionery, wholesale and retail, M. N. Royal & Co.

Crockery and Glassware, J. S. Merrill, A. A. Woodsum, W. G. Morton

Drugs and Patent Medicines, Mrs. T. C. Holt

Dry and Fancy Goods, S. L. Hawley, Mrs. M. H. T. Merrill, L. P. Cates

Fertilizers, G. O. Goodwin & Co., A. J. Weston, S. H. Davis

Fish Market, O. Rousseau

Fruit and Confectionery, A. W. Bridge, Chas. O. Cole, M. N. Royal & Co., A. A. Shorey

Furniture and Carpets, J. S. Merrill, W. G. Morton

Grain and Feed, Geo. O. Goodwin & Co., C. B. Cumming's & Son

Groceries, I. A. Dennison, A. A. Woodsum, Poland Packing & Mnfg. Co., Edwin A. Harris, Spiller & Bringham, G. O. Goodwin & Co

Groceries and Meats, I. F. McCann & Co., F. I. Dwinal, W. D. Towne

Hardware, Stoves, Tinware, Paints, Oils and Agricultural Implements, Hawkes & Whitney

Harness, H. M. Maybury, Jordan & Saunders

Ice, Waterhouse Bros

Kennels, J. B. Mason, (English Beagles)

Lumber, Doors, Sash, etc., Poland Packing & Mnfg. Co., A. J. Weston, Geo. O. Goodwin & Co.

Merchant Tailor, P. T. Murray

Millinery and Fancy Goods, Mrs. M. H. T. Merrill, Mrs. Rose C. Green (Millinery)

Mill and Steam Fitters Supplies, J. W. Penney & Sons Co.

Newspapers and Periodicals, A. W. Bridge, Merrill & Denning W. G. Pulsifer, Evis Hazel Bridge, (Newspaper and Magazine Agency.)

Paper Hangings, O. B. Dwinal, Mrs. T. C. Holt

Pianos and Organs, J. A. Bucknam & Co., J. S. Merrill

School Supplies, W. G. Pulsifer, Merrill & Denning

Sewing Machines, J. A. Bucknam & Co., W. J. McCann

Sporting Goods, A. W. Bridge, A. A. Woodsum

Variety, A. A. Shorey, J. S. Merrill

Wood, G. O. Goodwin & Co., Poland Packing Co

Manufacturers, Bakers, Confectioners and Ice Cream, M. N. Royal & Co.

Blacksmiths, Sanders Bros., J. F. Sawyer & Son, Story & Giddings Boots and Shoes, Chase, Merritt Co., Repair, C. M. Sawyer, J. Q. Noyes, W. J. McCann

Boxes, Poland Packing & Mnfg. Co.

Bricks, Mechanic Falls Brick Co. E. L. Charles, mgr.

Butcher, E. Nelson

Cabinet Maker, J. S. Merrill

Canned Goods, Minot PackingCo.

Carpenters, G. Cole, J. Keene, S. S. Nason, Carl Austin

Carriages, J. W. Story

Contractor and Builder, A. J. Weston

Dowels and Wood Novelties, Virgin Bros

Dressmakers, Mrs. Anna S. Nason, Mrs. James Sawyer, Mrs. William Mitchell, Mrs. Charlotte Foster, Miss Estelle Durrell

Foundry, Brass, Iron and Machine Shop, J. W. Penney & Sons Company

Granite and Marble, H. S. Decker

Harness, H. M. Mayberry, W. J. McCann

Jeweler, E. A. Hammond

Laundry, O. F. Welch

Lumber and Grist Mills, Poland Packing & Mnfg. Co.

Masons, W. R. Durgin, John Seal, H. E. Chandler, Anson Martin Painters, H. F. Sawin, F. M. Davis, (carriage and signs), Charles Harris, Charles Conant, O. C. Bridge (sign)

Paper, Poland Paper Co., C. H, Milliken, treasurer; C. R. Milliken, manager, Office 24 Plum Street, Portland

Paper and Pulp Machinery, J. W. Penney & Sons Company

Paper Hanger, M. A. Herrick

Plumbing, J. W. Penney & Sons Co., George A. Benjamin

Printers, Ledger Publishing Company

Proprietary Medicines, Merrill & Denning, Manufacturers of Puritan Cough Cure

Steam Engines and Boilers, J. W. Penney & Sons Company

Stoves and Tinware, Hawkes & Whitney

Undertakers, Leroy Spiller, J. S. Merrill

Barbers, C. O. Cole, A. E. Morris, A. A. Shorey, E. A. Hammond

Billiard Halls, A. W. Bridge, A. A. Shorey

Dining Rooms, Alice W. Allen

Express Agents, American, P. R. Cobb; Canadian, H. Hunter

Florist, William F. Milliken

Hall, Perkins, S. D. S. Perkins, proprietor

High School, H. H. Stuart, principal

Insurance J. A. Bucknam & Co., F. O. Purington, W. M. Mitchell F. A. Goldermann

Libraries, Public, Mrs. Lizzie Jewett Butler, 1600 vols., circulating A. W. Bridge, 700 volumes

Livery Stables, P. R. Cobb, E. A. Faunce & Son, S. E. Davis, Jordan & Saunders

Loan and Building Association, J. E. Saunders, president; A. A.

Woodsum, secretary

Mechanic Falls Water Electric Light and Power Company, Harry Edgecomb, superintendent

Mechanic Falls Water Co., C. W. Fenn Portland, manager; George A. Benjamin, superintendant

Music Teachers, Miss Effie E. Saunders, Miss Mamie Hawkes

Photographer, O. C. Bridge

Station Agent, G. T. R., H. Hunter; P. & R. F. R; H. F. Hayford Telegraph, Gt. N. W., W. U., J. C. Record, operator

Telephone, N. E. T. & T, Co., Merrill and Denning agents

Trust Company, Lewiston Trust and Safe Deposit Co., (Mechanic Falls Branch) C. M. Hutchins, manager

Associations, Masons, Tyrian, No. 73, Thursday on or before full moon; St. Andrews R. A. C., Thursday after full moon; Eastern Star, Dwinal, No. 28, 2d and 4th Wednesdays; I. O. O. F. Monami, No. 40, Monday; Orion Encampment, No. 27, 2d and 4th Wednesdays; Colfax Rebekah, No. 27, 1st and 3d Wednesdays; K. of P., St. Elmo, No. 55, Friday; U. O. G. C., Agassiz, No. 245, 1st and 3d Wednesdays; N. E. O. of P. Andrscogogin, No. 205, 1st and 3d Saturdays; G. A. R., Dwinal Post, No. 3, Tuesdays; I. O. R. M., Osceola, No. 24, Tuesday; Owaissa, D. of P., Thursday; I. O. of F., Mechanic Falls, No. 1728, 4th Wednesday.

Maple Grove Cemetery Association, F. Edwin Dwinal, chairman of trustees

Board of Trade, J. W. Penney, president, Chas. E. Waterman, sec. Hotels, Cobb's Hotel, P. R. Cobb; Hotel Elms, W. J. Hines proprietor; Mechanic Falls House, S. E. Davis

Newspaper, Weekly, Mechanic Falls Ledger, Ledger Pub. Co.



Census of Mechanic Falls.

1904.

We have herewith arranged the population of the town of Mechanic Falls in families where that arrangement has been possible. In these families, in addition to the resident living members, the names of non-resident members are included. At the end of the Census of each town will be found these Non-residents with the full names and present addresses, when such names and addresses have been given to the author. The non-residents are indicated by the (*).

The common directory abbreviations have been used to indicate the occupation of the several people in town. These abbreviations are placed opposite the name. Some of the abbreviations and contractions used are the following:

Farmer—far; carpenter—car; merchant—mer; housework—hw; physician and surgeon—phy & sur; student—stu; etc., etc.

This Census was taken during the summer of 1904 by A. C Denning, East Poland Maine.

MECHANIC FALLS POST OFFICE.

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Lillie C	hw	Allard, Frank H	ret'd, Lew'n
Alfred C	lawyer	Helen C (Morto	on

Henry F	Caralee pl
Leroy pl	Carlos pl
Elmer pl	Allen, Daniel T car 45 Pleas
Theron M pl	Ida M (Libby hw
Andrews, Medcalf lab, Lew'n	Lynwood eng
Celeste (Churchill	Melcora hw
Ripley A	Minerva M pl
Allen, Wm N Cor Pine	Vreece C , pl
Susie (Bridgham hw	Allen, Wallace L eng Maple
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Pauline E (Murdock hw	C Virabelle pl
William M	Harold W pl
Chase S printer	5
Eva M artist	В
Abbott, Mary lo kp	Boyer, H L lab
James M mach	Mae table wk
Austin, Chas H sec hand R R wk	Irma hw
Annie R (Lewis hw	John shoe shop
Florence H tr	Nellie L pl
Chas S lab	Chas L pl
Verner H lab	Broad, Thomas W lab Main
Roberta F pl	Bridge, Andrew W variety store
Josephine pl	Spring
Capitola M pl	Harry S R R Ser
Hazel D pl	Brazier, Chas sect hand
Lynwood A W pl	Brickett Clara B
Carlyle	Briggs, Alvernon H shoe wk'r
Allen, Mabel shoe shop and cook	Briggs, Chester shoe mk'r
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Beryl Pl	Burns, Chas N lab 72 Elm
Austin, Carl W car 14 Oak	
Nettie (Cloudman hw	Lizzie B (Chase hw
Merle W stu	Herbert W lab
Velva L pl	Blanche N

Cora	pl	Lawrence	pl
Albert P	pl	Lyndal	
Lillian B	pl	Bray, Jefferson C	far
Beals, Mary M (Dwinal		Christiana (Cam	pbell hw
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Briggs, Daniel	lab	Karl G	pl
Bray, Augustus	far	Paul G	pl
Mary (Bennett	hw	Phillip H	
Mildred E	pl	Bridge, Frank L	shoe shop
Fred A	pl	Mary (Smith	hw
Bedell, James O shoe sh	nop Main	William A	
Jessie (Snow	hw	Berry, Jerry	car Lincoln
James O Jr		Mamie (Dean	hw
Blackington, Clarence	cl	Ollie	pl
Bray, Daniel F	far	Eula F	
Minnie L (Farrar	hw	Boothby, Wellington	mach Oak
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Aura M	pl	Emma A (Hezel	ton hw

Inez R	•	Gertrude	
Neva E		Bradford, Adrianna (Chandler h	W
Bucknam, Sarah mill	inery Bates	Hortense B	tr
241103,		Boyd, Alexandria la	b
Bryant, William	teamster	Elizabeth (Campbell h	W
Bartlett, Alonzo	lab Main	Arthur A H	ol
Cassie	hw	Alton Q L	
Eugene	pl	Bridge, Oliver photo E Par	k
Ella	pl	*Edward	
Flissie		Bridge, Charlotte	tr
Clark		Brown, Frank J lab Myrth	le
Bancroft, Geo R	lab Lew'n		w
Eva (Skinner	hw	*Marguerite C	
Neva A			pl
Bangs, Bert L	eng Lew'n		pl
Ella L (Herrick	_	Bunker, Ralph S lab 5 Pin	
Vina E	pl	_	w
Bartlett, Fannie M (_	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	pl
,	Lew'n	The state of the s	pl
Bancroft, John T	lab	Violet E	
Hattie C (Pratt	hw		
Fannie M		С	
Blackendon, J M	salesman	Cole, F. H. Univ clerg Eli	m
Clarence S	lab	Ruth (Crooker	
Eaton O	lab	Cole, Chas barber W Par	k
Battles, Geo W	lab	Alice (Haskell h	W
Bedell, William W la	ab 12 Yates	· ·	
		Cole, C. G. con and bld'r Yate	D.S
		Lynda D (Day h	w
Bridgham, Geo G gro	~		tu
Mary A (Fuller			se
*Mabel		Crooker, Josiah A la	ıb
Chas P lab		Elsie (Whitman h	W
Geo D	grocer	Percey shoe sho	g
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Ava	stu	Edith M	Stu
Daisy E	pl	Churchill, Allen	M lab 8 Yates
Chute, Herbert	foundryman	Mary S (Ne	ewbergin hw
	Marsha	Annie L	shoe shop
Crooker, Florence	13 Pleas	Geo A	drummer
Churchill, Sherman	far	Conant, Chas A	painter High
Clinch, Chas s	hoe m'kr Main	Nellie (Mc	Gaffey hw
Colclazier, Joseph	hostler 8 Main	William	painter
Cook, Pheobe	104 Elm	Flora M	
Cote, J J	brakeman	Chas L	
Cox Perley G	lab	Frank S	pl
Cox, S A	lab	Nellie E	pl
Cram, Clara E	stenographer	Jacob R	pl
Crooker, Geo B	lab Summ e r	Mark W	pl
Currier, A W	nurse	Jessie L	
Currier, Harold W	lab	Cobb, Leroy	Physician 8 Pleas
Currier, John	lab Lew'n	Catherine (Cook hw
Curtis, John D	ret'd 21 Main	Cotton, Dennet	car Maple
Colley, Bessie	hw Lew'n	Mary W (L	ovejoy dress mk'r
Colley, John	lab	*Fannie	hw
Cobb, Mary A	hw Lincoln	*Frank H	lab
Conant, William	lab Lew'n	Eva	hw
Almu (Krwhn	borg hw	*Maud L	hw
Neille K		Minnie	hw
Hues L		*Harry	far
Coulehan, Agnes		G Louise	lab
Campbell, Alfreda	Judson	*Nellie	hw
Curtis, Daniel	lab	Arthur	lab
Winnifred (Gr	ay hw	Winfield	lab
Gray H		Forest	lab
Chapman, Amos	teamster	Orpha	hw
Emma (Harri	s hw	Jennie	pl
Clark, William H.	lab	Eva	
Bertha V	hw	Chipman, W C	far W Park

Lovina (Childs	hw	Catherine	pl
*Roland L.	laundry	*Lottie R	hw
Child, Fred survey	yor 12 Main	Minnie E	hw
Annie (Fitzpatrie	ck	Curtis, Mary J	hw Pleas
Ralph		Cousins, Rasina	hw Pleas
Churchill, Reuben	watchman	*Delmer	lab
	30 Main	Casper A	paper mill
Agnes (Campbell	l hw	Cousins, Casper A	paper mill
Ernest M	lab		Pleas
Chas E	pl	Mertelle (McCa	nn hw
Mina O	pl	Marion M	pl
Byron W	pl	Cloutier, Napoleon	lab Oak
Campbell, Jacob F	paper mk'r	Mattie	pl
	Elm	Wilfred	pl
Augusta (Thaye:			pl
Maude	paper mill	Albert	pl
Agnes	book kp'r	Beatrice	
Blanche N			
*Morris R	pl	Chute, Howard	lab
Chute, Maud		Angie (Smith	hw
Coffin, Adelaine	hw Elm	Frank	pl
Minnie (Woodsu	m hw	Linwood	pl
Charles Edward L	paper mk'r	Alice	
	Main	Crooker, Geo B tru	ck'n Summer
Carrie (Thompso	on hw	Grace (Howard	hw
John	pl		
Cobb, F H			
Clara C (Bonney	hw	Susan (Hunnew	ell
Chase, Walter		Cushman, Lucy	hw Spring
Minnie (Carpent	er hw	Florence	
Fred		*Sarah	hw
Collins, Eliza		Cummings, Geo H lu	
Carey, Martin sho	e mk'r Pine	Ellen F (Cumm	ings hw
Mary (Haley	hw	Cobb, Prescott R	Main

Jeanie (Donaldson hw	*Doris
*Maude L hw	Address Waltham, Mass
Alice B	Davis, Isaac C lab Lew'n
Ralph P cl	Durrill, Estella M dress mk'r
Cole, Chas O mer W Park	Lewiston
Lois M (Staples hw	Dwinal, F I grocer Main
Chas W barber	Dyer, Emery W foreman C M
Geo E confectionery	Co Elm
Blanche M cl	Downing, Persis M hw Lew'n
	Davis, Frank L painter and car
D	12 Judson
Dudley, Daniel stone mason	Mary (Gammon hw
Dwinal, F Edward mer Main	Frank M
Georgiana (Pillsbury hw	Eulalie stu
*Grace	Marjorie pl
Denning, Harriet hw Elm	Geo G pl
Racheal hw	•
Ruth	Dyer, Fred electrician Myrtle
Davis, J H far	Persis (Crockett bw
Margarite E (McDowell hw	
*R Ella	Dunn, Maria S hw Elm
*Jennie C	Dennison, I A grocer 74 Flm
*Alice J	Lauristine (Bemis
8/	Katherine L
Eliza (Smith hw	*
Charles K far	
*Mary	Douglass, Edwin gate tender
*Fannie	Mabel (Stearns
Denning, Chas K far	Marion M
Rosa (Thomas hw	
*Dennen, Hollis R E Agt	Emma M (Keith
*Gertrude (Hurding	Willard C pl
*Ralph stu	-
*Barbara pl	Dwinal, O B 42 Pleas

Eliza D (Den	ning	Mary (Fitzpati	rick nurse
Dwinal, Clara A		Donovan, Mary F	telegraph oper
Dwinal, Rosalia B	hw Water	Mary F	pl
Ella J	tr	Ruth	pl
*Fred E	shoe dealer	John	pl
*C Frank	phy	Dresser, Fremont sh	oe shop Yates
*Winnifred C	shipping cl	Hattie (Spiller	hw
Duran, Samuel	lab Spring	Dudley, Edwin	teamster True
Jane F (Brag	gdon hw	Emma J (Holt	· hw
Josiah	lab	Verna M	pl
Edith		Walter L	
*John B	lab	Duran Herbert	lab
DeCoster, J. H. pa	astm'st'r Dwinal	Downs, Isadore	hw
Angelia (sha	w hw	Alberton C	
Bertha L	h w	Geneoa M	
*Harry W	druggist	Ella L	
*J Carroll	ag't P P Co	Georgie A	
*Percy S	druggist	Inez P	
DeCoster, Harry	P	Walter W	
Darby, Sarah E	lab Main	77	
Durgin, W R	mason 10 Main	E	
Elmer M	shoe mk'r	Elder, Luther R.	ret'd. Lew'n
Albert L	Shoe mk'r	Mary (Graffan	ı
Merrill M	shoe mk'r	Mary W	
*Ina B		Elie, Charles	lab Lew'n
Davis, Fred M ca	rriage p't'r Main	Lecadie (Lerou	ax hw
Winnifred R	(Bennett hw	Chas D	lab
	and dressmaker	Clara	
Decker, H S	marble worker	Joseph	stu
Margerite S ((Randall hw	George	stu
Ora G	bk kp'r	Helen	pl
Inez V	tr	Archie	pl
Methyl	stu	Lillian	
Duran, Chas	lab 12 Main	Eugene	

Ellingwood, I H	far Judson	Farrington, Orren shoe	shop Main
Columbia (Briggs	hw	Lila (Rich	hw
Rose	millinery	Fielding, Harry short h	and 55 Elm
*Lettice	mer	Harry	pl
*William H S		Lillian	pl
Walter		Gertie	pl
Estes, Chas E la	ab 22 Pine	Foster, Newell	far
Ellen V (Victoria	hw	Emma (Millett	hw
Edgcomb, Harry A.	lab High	Carrie B	pl
Martha (Bray	hw	Clarence	pl
Harry A supt	paper mill		hw
	electrician	Newell	
Ellis, Hiram	brick yd		
Minnie (Cotton	hw	*Flora	
Elliot, Mary		*Augusta	
Gertrude (Golderm	nan hw	*Fred L	
Edwards, Guy H		Frye, Chas	far
Edwards, William H.	far Spring	Fales, A G	far North
Alice (Strout	hw	Sarah E (Weyland	d hw
Bertha		*Benjamin B	lab
*Lizzie		Perley	soldier
Daniel	shoe shop		
Clifford	pl	Faunce, Elmer A stab	
Lena	pl	Rachel C (Denni	ng hw
Stephen	pl	*Lowe E	teamster
Ray	pl	Lila D	shoe shop
Mildred		Edith	pl
Melvin		Fitz, Jonathan S	lab Elm.
K. Roy		Farrington, Chas W	
	electrician	Farrington, Eunice	
Agnes M. (Hunt	hw	Fitz, Matilda	
Eastman, Arthur ster	~ .	Fessendon, John nu	
Earl, Nellie	Elm	Frazer, William book k	
F		Faunce, Edward p	ainter Elm

Abbie E (Thayer hw	Margurite B
Hazel A pl	
Erland H pl	G
Fielding, Harry Jr shoe maker	Grant, James far
Myrtle	Nellie (Merrow hw
Jenny (Strout hw	*Alfred cl
Foster, Chas A ret'd 67 Elm	Sherman far
Rebecca A (Waterman	Arthur far
Carrie F	Percey pl
Farris, R Elmer mach Spring	Griffin, Hannah (— hw
Florence L (Littlefield hw	
Elsie M shoe shop	Mary
Jessie E stu	Albert
Foss, Sarah J hw	Gilman, John shoe wk
Fernando lab	Fluvilla (Farrow hw
Foss, Fernando lab Myrtle	Alice M pl
Martha S (Merrill	Vivia I pl
Farris, Fred J stable	Gardiner, Guy druggist Main
Rachel S (Sturdevant hw	Garrett, John lab Lewiston
Ida M paper mill	Vinnie (Smith hw
	Garrett, William G paper mk'r
Foster, Chas A far Lew'n	Jorden
Emma (Tobie washer woman	Annie (McKiver hw
*Mary	John A C painter
•	*Anna P
Jennie G O pl	
Farnum, A V lab Marshall	· ·
Annie M (Hanson hw	T31 T
	Gammon, Adron E 5 Dwinal
*Percy cl	Gammon, Adron E 5 Dwinal Bertha L (DeCoster hw
*Percy cl Frank, Augustus L electrician	Gammon, Adron E 5 Dwinal Bertha L (DeCoster hw Gibbs, Frank shoe mk'r
*Percy cl Frank, Augustus L electrician Rose (Hoay hw	Gammon, Adron E 5 Dwinal Bertha L (DeCoster hw Gibbs, Frank shoe mk'r Davis House
*Percy cl Frank, Augustus L electrician Rose (Hoay hw Mary E pl	Gammon, Adron E 5 Dwinal Bertha L (DeCoster hw Gibbs, Frank shoe mk'r

ger R R ser	Maple	Forest	shoe shop
Goodwin, Charles A	piper	Blanche L	hw
Elm	s House	Goodwin, James C	truckman
Goodwin, Horace E		Mary E (Hambli	n hw
G O Goodwin	Co Main	*Ella L	hw
Grady, Lizzie	Park	Geo A	lab
Griffith, Thyra B millin	_	-	81 Elm
•		Gilman, Chas	brick yd
Greenwood, N S	ar Lew'n	Gould, Joseph	far 33 Pleas
Alice M		Grant, Eva	hw
David R		Gilman, Geo B	mach Main
Greenwood, David R pap		7.7	
	er Lew'n	Н	
Josephine (Chipman		Hackett, Ruth	5 Yates
Gerry, James Acorn pack	er 8 Pine	Haines, Joseph stone	cutter 5
Ada (Sanborn	hw		Elm
Helen M	pl	Hall, Chas	
Thelma M	pl	Hanscom, Charlotte	
Gookin, John W	lab High	Harbugh, Addie	22 Pine
Mabel G	hw	Harmon, Walter D p	ulp mill
John W Jr			E P a rk
•	_	Harris, David R	Oak
Goss, Grace shoe sh			
Gould, L Forest shoe sho	op Spring	Harris, Mrs Elizabet	h hw Elm
Hattie (Nutter	hw	Harris, Ernest A	Elm
Golderman, F A s		Henthorn, Geo F yd	
	28 Maple		T R Elm
	hw	Hilborne, Mrs C L	Pine
Windsor	stu	Holt, James L pape	r mk'r Buck-
F Harold	stu		nam
Goldermann, Atha tailore	-	Harris, A W	R R Elm
Gould, Winfield A shoe	-	Lizzie	hw
	W Park	*Mabel	
Hattie (Thayer		Hammond, E A 9 Eln	n bar & jew'lr

Ella N (Meritt hw	Hattie M pl
Lucretia P pl	Nathan H pl
Margurite V pl	Ethel E
Herrick, Humphrey C lab Spring	
	Harmon, Geo lab 14 Pine
Gerald A lab	Lydia (Webb hw
John K pl	Harry A lab
Holt Edward lab	Edith E paper mill
Hinds, William J Hotel Elms prop	*Walter D
Margurite (O'Connell hw	*Arthur
	Harmon, Frank R shoe shop Pleas
Nellie M (McLaughlin	Celia M (Causland d'ss mk'r
Jessamine stenographer	Delos F car
	Hanscome, Geo eng Lincoln
Hutchinson, Samuel H P P Co	Eva (Holt hw
20 W Park	
Lucy J (Hodgdon	Bertha M pl
Arthur I mach	Susie L pl
Hutchins, Clarence town cl	Lillian G pl
16 Park	Julia
	Hutchinson, Arthur L lab
*Frank E foreman ship yd	13 Lincoln
Geneva C tr	Henritta (Gammon hw
Hackett, Lizzie shoe shop Elm	Earl L stu
	Hanscom, William E lumber mfgr
Lacolia (Mastine hw	Pine
Deryl	Edith E (Goodall hw
Harris, Chas paper h'ger 19 Elm	Hanscom, Charlotte E hw
Frances A(Rice hw	Hawkes, Orrington W ret'd
*Tilson S shoe cutter	* 12 Pleas
Chas L photo	Mary E Packard
Herrick, A C truckman Myrtle	Hathaway, Albert V lab 26 Pleas
Gussie (Hearon	Ella N (Marshall hw
Bessie C pl	Hall, Rozella hw
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Harmon, W E electrician Marshall	Sylphira E (Foster hw
Millie F (Ryerson hw	Harry H mach
Wendell pl	Hackett, C L Far 63 Elm
Lucy pl	Mary A (Atwood hw
Elizabeth	Harmon, F DeLos car W Park
Hall, Edgar painter Water	Nora (Smith hw
Florence (Lunt	Marie V pl
Hawes, Charles	Holt, James L lab Lew'n
Hanscom, Nathan far Lew'n	Bertha E (Eaton
Fred E	Edith E
Willis H	Holt, Fred A lab Spring
Emma D	Irene R (Herrick hw
Frank W	Freddie pl
Hawes, Edwin mach Lew'n	Ralph pl
Mary E (Field hw	Victor pl
Verna M pl	Villa pl
Geraldine B	Clyde pl
Margeurite V	Gladys pl
	Horne, Chas R P R F Marshall
Fred A	Mary E (Piper hw
Eva M pl	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Lucy pl	Hawley, S L mer 64 Elm
Grace pl	Flora B (Kendall cl
Geo O pl	Harris, Simeon L far
Ernest pl	Flora E (Bearce hw
Herrick, Mark A painter 9 Grove	*Frank milk dl'r
Rebecca F (Brazier hw	*Fred teamster
Sadie E hw	Alburton, milk dl'r
Herrick, Lillian A lab Grove	Sylva
Herrick, Bertie	Jennie shoe shop
Herrick, Bert W R R Ser Grove	
	Herrick, Frank D mach Spring
Frank A	Lizzie (Haskell hw
Herrick, Percival car 53 Elm	Delmer A

Holbrook, Ernest far and	Jefferson, Chelsey hw
first selectman	Jorden, P A Main
Lizzie M (Fessenden	Carrie (Foster
Haskell, Samuel N far	Agnes O tr
Mattie W (Nelson hw	Jorden, Herbert J far
Lillian E tr	Lizzie (Verrill hw
Maude S pl	Joseph E
Edwin N pl	Jackson, Mrs C F Pleas
Harwood, Walter P P Co North	Jacobs, Chas E
Ella (Bryant hw	Jordan, C E
Lila E stu	Jordan, Chas far
Geo W pl	Jorden, Fred far Lew'n
Clarence pl	Lillian (Estes hw
Holey, Catherine book kp'r Pine	Hazel E
Haskell, N D far	Jorden, Cyrus F lab Box 211
Anna F (Morrill	Jessie E (Strout
Herman W paper mill	Alvin E lab
Lizzie	Austin T lab
Stephen R millwright	Jorden, Samuel D foreman Lew'n
Ruth C pl	Amanda E (Page
Hawkes, C W tin smith 38 P O Sq	Charles E far
Ellen E (Young hw	Fred A lab
Holt, Sidney far	Joice, William fireman 8 Grove
Laura (Delano hw	Emma (Somerset hw
Henry C pl	Jessie L
William L pl	Jorden, Edwin C car 70 Elm
Harris, John far	Nellie (Wormwell hw
Harris, Elizabeth Elm	Doris L pl
T	Jewett, Harry L paper mk'r High
Ι	Alwilda (Marston hw
Ireland, Fred H	A Description
Irish, Nancy hw	Jefferies, Lewin lab Maple
Vesta	Annie M (Peterson hw
, J	Chas L

Jefferies, Samuel retir'd 30 Maplr	
Jorden, Theodore P pattern mk'r	
	Knights, Samuel S Maple
()	King, Lizzie Judson
	Knight, Chas T lab Pleas
Stella (Chipman hw	Keene, Nellie shoe shop 17 Pine
Margaret shoe shop	
Marion E pl	Knights, Allura R 30 Pleas
Philip pl	Joseph U
Jorden, Malcolm mach Elm	Keen, Julia Oak
Laura (Bennett hw	Keene, Judiah L car 33 Oak
Gladys L pl	Imogene (Keene hw
Marion J	Chas A mach
Eleanor M	Wilfred car
Jorden, Lizzie E hw 62 Elm	F Lewis lab
Judkins, I H far 100 Elm	
Althea (Bailey hw	
•	Joseph C pl
K	Keene, Chas A 33 Oak
	Venon L pl
Keene, Irvin S lab	Bertie F pl
Laura M (Pike hw	Violet L pl
Ren a	Keene, Percy H lab 33 Oak
Fleeta pl	
Kesten, Albert W lab Elm	Keene, Frank L lab Oak
Bertha (Edwards hw	
King, J H	Kaler, Chas N foreman shoe shop
Lillian M (Collins hw	
James C far	Lena (Nash hw
Philip pl	•
Kesten, Fred C paper mk'r Lew'n	
Kenne, Philena Pleas	
Kenerson, Norris millman Main	
	Knights, William lab Marshall

Sarah Gammon hw	Archie pl
*Elnora hw	Barbara pl
Edgar custom pressman	
Clifford paper hanger	*
Kesten, Herbert lab Lew'n	Libby, Mrs Simon hw 18 Pine
L	Lord, Rebecca F hw Marshall
	Lamb, Ralph mach Oak
Lunt, James L far	Vesta (Washburn hw
Lunt, L J far	Glenroy I pl
•	Lock, Silas M mach
*John F car	Lizzie (Murch hw
*Elmer E car	Lord, Frank H R R ser 24 Park
James L	Jennie (Lamberton hw
*Edith	Carl C pl
Edna L	Lawler, Hiram paper mk'r
Rose C	W Park
Leach, William E car North	Melissa (Farrar hw
Annie (Marshall hw	Edwin L pl
Edward C paper mill	Kenerson, Morris A millman Main
Walter A paper mill	Rosie A (Goodwin hw
Gertrude	Flora E pl
	Clayton M pl
Libby, Jesse M lawyer	James H pl
Kittie (Perkins hw	Alice M
Libby, Rose O 12 Main	Lord, Hanson lab Marshall
Lord, Frank H R R ser W Park	M
Leach, Edward C lab Lew'n	***
Della M (Keene hw	Meggett, Ribert lab True
Clara E	Merrill, Alton E paper mk'r 9 Elm
Lane. Rocksyllania T hw 64 Elm	Merrill, Anna B 21 Elm
Elmer Z electrician	Merrill, Edmund paper mk'r
	Merrill, Fred L druggist Spring
Lord, Willis lab School	Lewis, P I cl Yates
Liza (Somerset hw	Millett, Chas M painter Lincoln

Millett, Mildred F	Josiah S tr
justice of peace Elm	*Morilla (Holman
Milliken, Frank W eng 51 Elm	*Frank T laundryman
Milliken, Harry M shoemk'r 51 Elm	Macrun, Georgia
Mitchell, Chas M far W Park	
	Marston, Bravity lab Judson
Moore, Geo E lab Judson	
Morey, Alexander car	Martin, Jacob watchman
Morrill, Carroll teamster True	Maxim, Bessie L 62 Elm
Morrill, Merville W shoe mk'r	Mayberry, Herbert M
Morris, Albert E Barber Main	harness mfg 4 Main
Morton, Alice M shoemk'r 50 Elm	McCann, Josiah tr Elm
Murray, Palmer T tailor 38 Pleas	McCann, Merilla M book kp'r Elm
Maybury, F E phy	McGovern, Chas. T shoemk'r Elm
Ellen P (Verrill hw	McCann, William harness mk'r
*Chas O shoe mk'r	Lew'n
*Abbie E	Ed n a T (Rowe
Walter M	Nellie B
Maybury, Walter M far	Mills, Guy L lab Lew'n
Ida H (Merrill hw	Florence (Clough
Frank O far	Marston, Fred L foreman Judson
Morton, William E far	Laura (Martin C M Co
Hannah (Nason hw	Mayberry, E M Judson
Harry conductor	Mason, James B bell kp'r Lew'n
Elva L stu	Sophia F (Cotton hw
Morton, Harry far North	*William G wood wk'r
Winfield C pl	
Martin, Dustin far North	*James L band sawyer
Morris, A E hair dresser Main	Chas H chef
Alice M (Cook hw	Mains, Francis far 51 Elm
Leon pl	Ella (Mayberry
Catherine pl	Ralph pl
Hazel pl	Mitchell, William M ins agt 50
McCann, Belle hw Elm	Elm

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F Louise (Fickett	Sadie L (Crockett hw
hw and dress mk'r	Grace L pl
Millett, Frank A real estate Elm	Shirlie pl
Lucy A (Faunce hw	Clarence W pl
*John F	Gladys
Mildred	Martin, Francis A lab W Park
*Arthur A	Lilia (Hazelton hw
*Harold L	L Earland
McKeen, Phileen (hw	Merrill, Geo P far Marshall
Ellen A	Merrill, Eva L tr
Mason, Ludelphus tax collector	Merrill, Hiram lab 21 Elm
41 Pleas	Susannah (Merrill
Flora (Valentine	Edwin lab
Milliken, W F florist 51 Pleas	Marshall, F Edward lab Marshall
Lizzie M (Merrill hw	
Frank W eng	Milliken, Eliza A 26 Elm
Harry M lab	Milliken, Pamelia J 26 Elm
Meserve, Isaac truckman Pleas	Merrill, Josiah A grocer 30 Pleas
Nettie (Goss dress mk'r	Addie F (Patterson hw
Clarence W pl	J Arthur druggist
Merrill, J S undertaker Spring	Lawrence O pl
Mary H (Thayer millinery	Morton, Lewis W
*Annie M	truckman 57 Pleas
William H printer	Mary (Faunce hw
Merrill, Eliza	Chas H lab
Moore, Horace lab Maple	*Melvill J lab
Isabelle (Dixon hw	Alice M shoe shop
*Lucy E	Morse, Ona M pl
Miller, Catherine hw Maple	McDonald, John lab Oak
Mitchell, Thomas W lab	Mattie (Berry hw
Eva (Churchill hw	Ruth V
*	Morse, Melissa hw
Murch, Hattie hw	McKinnon, Allan car insp
Morse, Geo W lab Summer	Annie (McDonald hw

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and S C Co Minot	
Poland, James B far Welchville	
Pratt, Ern e st paper mk'r Lew'n	
Prince, Jennie	*Perron, Frank eng Water
Prince, Mrs Stephen M shoe mk'r	
Pynn, Chas T shoe mk'r Grove	Pendexter, Benjamin P car
Penney, John W ret'd 12 Maple	12 Bates
Penney, John lab Spring	Esther P (Dinsmore hw
Patridge, Geo shoe mk'r Main	*Frank A overseer
Purington, Edward H lab Maple	
	Payson, Donald R R Ser
`	Jennie (Payrent hw
Alice M pl	Packard, Mary E nurse
James W pl	Pulsifer, Walter G druggist
Norman E pl	6 Maple
Pinkham, Harry A phy Elm	•
Georgie E (Wigglesworth hw	
	Jane (Mayhew hw
Pinkham, Austin A lab Elm	
Beatrice (Waldren hw	
	Penney, S R mach Maple
Fred W lab	Annie (Bridgham hw
	Sarah R pl
Josephine (Whittle hw	4
	Pettie, Chas T news dealer
	*Eugene pulp mill
*Ada C	Pratt, Ellis lab Main
*Mary C	Cassie (Bartlette hw
*Fred G	Bartlette, Lillian hw
	Penney, Lillian hw Maple
*Viginia	
Peterson, Ina paper mill Elm	Perkins, William 1 snoe work W Park
Purington, Frank O lawyer	
The state of the s	Anna (Burns hw
Addie V (Smullen	Ruth E pl

Perkins, D S far	W Park	Walter C shoe sh	lon
Alice J (Buckman	Wlaik	Richard	pl
Fred	printer	Albert	pl
William	shoe shop	Beatrice	pl
*Rose A	snoe snop	James	pl
Perkins, Winfred L	W Park	Frederic	Ρī
Josephine (Burns	W Laik	0 1 * 1 *	200
Amy J	stu	Quini, jenne e	rse
Perkins, Francis	W Park	R	
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Penney, Chas V mach	Spring		
Ella R (Keene	mach	` <u>-</u>	hw lab
Harvey	macn		
John W			stu
*Penney, Harvey macl	n Spring	Mura B Lawrence D	pl
Ida (Harris		Irvin E	
Davis			1
Thelma	0	Rowe, Jennie M hw 59 E	
Penney, A J	Spring		hw
Prince, Morris C B far	. 0	*Edgar S Wendell W	lab
Hattie (Pratt	hw		
Thomas W	pl	Henry E	
Merle	pl	Rand, Stephen B far Gro	ove
Maurice E	pl	Carrie I (Leighton	,
Grace A	pl	David E wood	
Lida	pl		car
Philip W	pl	Dana M truckm	
Mildred	pl		car
Violet M	pl		far
Q		*Alvertie G	
		*Ethel M	,
Quance, Harry A		Royal, Melvin N mer scho	
Fannie (Westwood			hw
	paper mill		lab
Fannie	shoe shop	Roselle N	stu

Reed, Alvin millwright	Pine	Rogers, Harry L	teamster
Eva (Allen		Hattie M (Hasel	ton hw
Hannah (—	hw	Leroy C	pl
Reed,		Guy W	pl
*Jayson	lab	Ernest	pl
Reed, Augustus		Bessie	
Rand, James H Jr shmk'r	Lincoln	Russell, Andrew	far
Lizzie G (Mason		Jennie (Buck·	h w
Record, Ida L (Lincoln	hw	Ida	
Record, Clara C (Lincoln	h w	Russell, Chas O	far
Rounds, Alvah L		Gertrude (Rowe	hw
supt pulp dep in pa	per mill	Lynwood	pl
Emma F (Frank		Ethel	pl
Merle R	stu	Leroy	pl
Reynolds, John lab	Pleas	Nora	
Eliza (Lowe		Russell, John	paper mill
Rand, Dana truckman	Water	Rowe, S M	blk
Maud D (Stowell		Annie (Lewis	hw
Clifford V		Florence	hw
Walter H		Verna	novelty shop
Robbins, John W far	Bates	Roverta	pl
Hattie (Buckman	hw	Jos e phine	pl
Richardson, Jane	Maple	Capitola	pl
Rawson, Sarah	hw	Hazel	pl
Rand, David E	car Elm	Lynwood	pl
Ida J (Sherwood	hw	Carlyle	,
Alta L	pl	Records, William H	far
Rich, Chas F shoe sho	op Cross	Ella M (Record	s hw
M Nettie (Sanders		Sadie B	stu
Arleon S		Ph o ebe	
Rawson, Edward cl	Main	Martha J	pl
Ellen (Strout	hw	Edna M	pl
Henry E	pl	Phoebie	pl
Frank E	pl	Georgia A	

Rankin, Clark B phy Main	Somerset, Fred lab W Park
	Freda (Sieberling hw
	Scully, P H R R ser Lew'n
Clark C pl	Maggie (Perry hw
Rose, Sumner T far	Isabelle
Annie (Smith hw	Henry L
	Spiller, Joshua lab Lew'n
Nettie pl	Caroline (Thurlough
Addie pl	*Geo E far
Ruggles, Alonzo	*Fred I far
paper maker E Park	*Hubert hotel prop
Ruggles, Bert	Carrie B hw
Read, Harry R conductor Maple	Saunders, Scott S cl 8 Main
Record, Joseph C tel op Pleas	Sawyer, Chas W R R ser Poland
Rich, Martha D Main	Sawyer, James F Pleas
Richardson, Asaph J provisions	Sawyer, Frank T Pleas
	Sawyer, William ret'd Pleas
Ripley, Ada A paper mk'r Lew'n	Simpson, Lucretia Water
Roderick, Fred hostler	Skinner, Maria hw Pine
Rosenberg, Sarah Elm	Smith, Thirza hw 7 Dwinal
Rousseau, Octave	Smith, William lab Lew'n
	Spaulding, Leslie C far
	Spooner, John T foreman Maple
Rowe, Henrietta M tr 59 Elm	Stone, Geo N 17 Main
Rowe, Lendall W sh mkr 59 Elm	Strout, Harold lab Elm
The state of the s	Strout, Stephen paper mill Elm
Rounds, Carrie (Foster hw	Strout, J Linwood lab Oak
Charles stu	Strout Levi N shoe mk'r Myrtle
Ada stu	Strout, Royal I shoe mk'r Myrtle
S	Stanton, James H far 102 Elm
	Arbina (Jermess hw
Strout, Sam'l H paper mill Spring	
`	Strout, Stephen iron foundry Elm
Earl H	Annie (Walker hw

Stephen	pl	Strout, Samuel D far &	agt Elm
Lillian E	pl	Laura (Spiller	hw
Irvin N	pl	*Lucy E	
Merle		*Elias M	elec eng
Liza		*Benjamin R	far
Saunders, (—	lab	Harold L	mech
Smith, Leonard		Berton	lab
Strout, Sarah (Winfred	pl
Wesley	far	Spiller, Luther cl	W Park
Fannie		Harriet	tr
*Hannah		Scribner, Chas	lab
Cora		Rena (Keene	hw
*Chas A	far	Irvin D	
*Eva		Strong, John W car ml	k'r E Park
*Susie		Nellie C (Martin	
Roland	far	*Carrie	
Strout, W Scott	R R ser	*Susie	hw
Jennie (Wight	hw	Stevens, John lab	12 Main
*Freeman G	stableman	Lydia R (Holey	
Stanton, Myra dress m	k'r 104 Elm	Smith. Ernest F shoe m	k'r W Park
Clarista P	pl	Sawyer, C M shoe mk'	r W Park
Stanton, John L far	Elm	Ellen J (Staples	
Helen (Watson	hw	John H	advertis e r
Donald I	pl	Carroll M	L .
Stanton, Perley lab	Lewiston	Saunders, John blk	23 Oak
Henrietta (Rowe	hw	Edith	hw
Strout, John lab	Oak	Nettie (Rich	hw
Mr. ' TD / MI	outh hw	Stanton, Mary E (- hy	w Lewiston
Marcia B (Weymo		, ,	
*Delmer W	far	Perley	lab
	far lab	Perley Be s sie	hw
*Delmer W	far lab lab	Perley Bessie Shackley, Henry J lab	hw Pine
*Delmer W Arthur L *J Lynwood Strout, Delmar,	far lab	Perley Bessie Shackley, Henry J lab Alice (Bancroft	hw
*Delmer W Arthur I. *J Lynwood	far lab lab	Perley Bessie Shackley, Henry J lab	hw Pine hw

Lena D	Stanton, Arthur far Lew'n
Berger H fruit & confect'ry	
Spiller, Freeland J grocer Lincoln	Mildred E hw
Lena (Shockford hw	Louis G
Murray L pl	Forest A lab
Merton R	Clyde D lab
Steffin, Mamie hw	Nellie pl
Stone, Newton E far 9 Pleas	Skilling, Joseph A lab Lew'n
Stone, Annie M pl	Flora M (Colley
Stone, Geo N	Bessie E pl
Stone, Newton E Jr lab Pleas	Percy W pl
Seal, John mason Pleas	Harold A
Helen A (Keene hw	Sreberting, Lottie dress maker
Howard P novelty shop	Strout, Edward H fireman Lew'n
*Fred E lab	Flora R (Johnson hw
Saunders, Edward A blk Pleas	Iva M pl
Almeda (Riggs hw	Lena M pl
Effie music tr	Leroy
Sawyer, James F blk Maple	Clara F
Nellie (Patterson dress mk'r	Strout, Dorome car
Frank T blk	Hannah B (Verril
Sawyer, William far Pleas	Annie F hw
Snell, Simon mach Pleas	Theodore C
Eldusta (Feero hw	Ethel P
Ethel D book keeper	Emily P
Bernice C pl	Myra E pl
Elwood B	Ralph D pl
Spiller, Silas C lab Lewiston	Lawrence pl
Mercy (Tripp hw	Scribner, Lydia hw Grove
Goodhue pl	*Augusta (Eldridge hw
Ruel C pl	Belle tourist
Clyde L pl	Lawyer, Albert E mach 60 Elm
Bernard	Mary E (Verrill
Bernic e	Skinner, Maria

Т		Elizabeth (Walker	hw
_		Forest L	
Tacie, S	62 Elm	Albert H	36.1
Trundy, Chas	tar	Tobie, C H phy	9 Main
Virginia (Strout	,	Emma E (Keene	hw
Lionel H	pl	Chas R	pl
Dorothy A		William A	pl
Twitchell, Joanna		Twiple, James	lab
Twitchell, Geo H	road man	Iola (Libby	tailoress
*Nellie N (Patter	son	Margurite E	
Tibbett, Henry	eng	Morris A	
Ada M (Brag g		Trask, W C book kp'r	High
Henry	pl	Maude (Giffett e	
Vinton		Tripp, Roland moulder	W Park
Tinkham, Alice	hw	Nora C (—	hw
Tileston, Mary E hw	Yates	Sarah M	pl
Abbey M (Tobey		Rol a nd L	pl
Mary E		Maude	pl
Thurlow, William P sa	awyer	Virgil J	
	Lincoln	Mildred	
Letita (Curtis	hw	Tilton, Amos	far
Margie	pl	Evy (Smith	hw
Claribel		Winfield W	far
*Tobey, Frank	book kp'r	*Eva	
Tinkham, A G ret'd m	er Water	*R Belle	
Thurston, John P fire	man Water	*Ira	
Gertrude (Chase	hw	Laura	hw
Aaron S	pl	Hattie E	
Freeman H	pl	Tobey, James	gardener
Lilia A	pl	Thayer, Lucius far	Pearl
An n ie M	•	Martha E (Jose	hw
Arvilla C		*Meda	
Bertha L		Julia L	
Tracy, Lyman butche	r Buckman	Tufts, Frank E b'k kp'	r 62 Elm

Lila (Jordan hw	Thayer, Arvilla W Park
Katherine	Thoits, Jason W shoe mk'r True
Tobie, Geo W far	Thomas, John T lab
Annette W (Briggs hw	Thorpe, Alice
Thurston, L W milkman	Thurlow, Amos paper mk'r Lew'n
Nellie (Stanton hw	Thurston, Herbert E 58 Elm
Twitchell, Geo H lab Lew'n	Tibbetts, William E shoe mk'r
Twitchell, James P	Oak
Tyler, I N foreman Cobb Hotel	Tobie, William D grocer 20 Pleas
True, Frank D wholesale grocer	Tripp, Lendall R R Ser Summer
Annie (Brown	True, Sarah Elm
Dorothy pl	Tucker, Herbert M far
Daniel pl	Tobie, Abby M High
Annie pl	Towne, Wm D Groceries 20 Pleas
Thorpe, John far	••
Thayer, Alfred B paper mk'r	V
Lewiston	Vaughn, E M R R Ser
Myra (Strout hw	Hotel Elms
Emery W pl	Virgil, Geo A Virgin Bros Maple
Thayer, Melinda hw 12 Yates	Virgin, Rufus J Virgin Bros
Teague, James H R R Ser Elm	Voyer, Herbert L lab 13 Main
Mary M (Lowe hw	187
James H Jr shoe shop	W
Percy shoeshop	Whittle, Herman gardener Pleas
Wilfred pl	Edna D (Strout hw
Chas pl	Josie
Elsie pl	Whitney, William
Alice	Rose E (Ranson music tr
Taft, Chas E supt C M Co	Waterhouse, Lena hw 34 Pleas
Taillon, Joseph shoe mk'r	Fred H ice man
Dov Ho	Charoneo 15
Taylor, David S lab Water	Whittier, W H clerg Oak
*Teague, Edward O	Lucy (McGerry hw
Termey, Chas S	Mal

Walcotte, Sarah J hw Oak	Waterman, Tilson sheriff 75 Elm
Frank C painter	Martha E (Verrill hw
Walker, Geo E lab Elm	Forest L
Grace (Strout hw	Wayne, James M foreman Elm
Wendell	Sarah (Wagner
Wood, Marion hw	Effie M
Wakefield, Edwin A lab	Walker, Daniel H expressman
Wyman, Frank P car	5 W Park
Walsh, Mary	Rosilla C hw
Weston, Lewis Hotel Elms	Alfred B far
Waterman, John T far	Waterhouse, Willard S cl Judson
*Henry mach	Edith E (Duran
*Elwell mach	Winslow, Louise B hw Pleas
Weston	Welch, O F laundryman 16 Pine
Woodsum, David Lewiston	Bertha G (Butler
Cynthia	Carroll D pl
*William	Ashley B pl
*David	Amsley G pl
Racheal	Waldren, Edward A lab Main
Almond	Lillian (Bryant
Waitt, George lab	Una A
Evelyn (Dunn hw	Earl A pl
Waterhouse, Solon mer Judson	Woodsum, A A grocer and
Louise (Wright hw	clothing store Elm
Willard S cl	Minnie C (Coffin hw
Myrtie E	Chas A pl
Waycott, William lab	Gilbert pl
Clara (Frost	Norton A pl
Waterhouse, Forrest ass't P M	Lucretia A
51 Elm	Walcott, Edwin Oak
Leona (Perkins hw	Walker, Alfred B far
Waterhouse, Fred H teamster Elm	Mary L (Winslow hw
Mertie E (Perham	Robert C pl
Dexter B	Geo L pl

CENSUS

Älfred B pl	Wyman, Frank P mech
Wakefield, Edward A canvasser	Cobb's Hotel
Summer	Warren, C 62 Elm
Walker, Garfield David House	Wallace, Dolly (— Pleas
Waterhouse, Clarence D cl Pleas	Annie M
Weston, Andrew J coal dl'r Elm	V
Winchester, Warren shoe maker	· ·
	York, Joseph carriage painter
Woodsum, Albion canvasser True	York, Lamont laundryman
	York, Isaac lab
15 Pleas	Bethiah (Cha s e

NON-RESIDENTS.

A	С
Allen, Chas S Melrose Mass Allen, Agnes (Harriman	Cotton, Fannie (Whitman Paris Hill
No Lovell	Cotton, Frank H Oxford
В	Cotton, Maude L (Gregory Oxford
Beals, Lizzie (Sinclair Auburn	Cotton, Harry Bethel
Buckman, Worthley C Newton Mass	Cousins, Delmer Cumberland Miss
Bridge, Edward Concord N H	Cushman, Sarah (Rich Oxford
Bridgham, Mabel (Wheeler New Jersey	Cotton, Harry Betner
Brown, Margurite C (Keen	Cotton, Nellie (Sylvester Gloucester
Rumford Falls Bray, Hollis 155 Cedar	Chipman, Roland L Malden Mass
Boston Mass Beals, Lultha (Dwinal Auburn	Campbell, Morris R Lewiston Collins, Lottie R (Hartford

So Smithfield	Rumford Falls
15	Ellingwood, Wm H S Wilton
D	Edwards, Lizzie (Holmes Oxford
Duran, Edith Waterville	T.
Duran, John B Rumford Falls	F
DeCoster, Harry W	Foster, Mary (Caswell
304 Boston Lynn Mass	No Yarmouth
DeCoster, Percy S	Foster, Percy Oakdale
304 Bost o n Lynn Mass	Foster, Mabel (Blaisdell
Durgin, Ina B (Dowe Minot	Kent Washington
DeCoster J Carroll	Foster, Flora (Telker Auburn
John Hancock Building	Foster, Augusta (Records
Dwinal, Grace (Pushard	Auburn
Fryeburg	Foster, Fred L Peterbury N H
Davis, R Ella (Hanscome Bethel	Fales, Benjamin B Dixfield
	Fales, Hebert J Nangatuck Conn
Paloalto Cal	
Davis, Alice I (Hersey	G
591 Broad E Weymouth Mass	Gould, Ella L (Goss Minot
Denning, Mary (Holt Oxford	Garrett, Anna P (Andrews
Denning, Fannie D (March	10 Pleasant Bucton Mass
Turner Auburn	Giddings, Dell B Minot
Dennison, Woodbury E	**
So Framingham Mass	Н
Dennison, Clara (Emrich	Harmon, Walter D
Bridgton Mass	12 Hammond Lewiston
Daicy, Geo C Auburn	Harmon, Arthur 25 Falmouth Portland
Dwinal, Fred E Auburn	25 Falmouth Portland
Dwinal, C Frank Bangor	Hutchins, Frank E Groton Conn
Dwinal, Winifred C	Harris, Tilson S
7 Arch Boston Mass	So Braintree Mass
T.	Harris, Frank
E	Medford Hillside Mass
Ellingwood, Lettice	Harris, Fred Deering

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Norwood Mass Tilton, Eva Minot Tilton, R Belle (Sanborn Story, Susie (Cummings Yarmouth Gardiner Strout, Hannah (Verrill Tilton, Ira Brockton Mass New Gloucester Thayer, Meda (Cobb Berlin N H E Poland Teague, Edward O Strout, Chas A Strout, Eva (Records Farmington N H New Gloucester W Strout, Freeman G 240 Pearl Somerville Mass Whittle, Edith (Bradbury Scribner, Augusta Elridge Auburn Leicester Mass Waterman, Henry Lowell Mass Lynn Mass Waterman, Elwell Seal, Fred E Spiller, Geo E Upper Gloucester Lawrence Mass Rangley Woodsum, William Spiller, Hubert Bath Woodsum, David T 42 Brackett, Portland Twitchell, Nellie N Patterson Walker, C Blanche Wellman 26 Bowery Bath Houlton



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TERM OF

STATE George Washington, Fed.-Virginia, John Adams, Fed.—Massachusetts, Thomas Jefferson, Rep.—Virginia James Madison, Rep.—Virginia, lames Munroe, Rep.-Virginia, John Q. Adams, Rep.-Mass., Andrew Jackson, Dem-S. Carolina, Martin Van Buren, Dem.-N. Y., Wm. H. Harrison, Whig-Virginia, John Tyler, Dem.-Virginia, James K. Polk, Dem .- N. Carolina Zachary Taylor, Whig-Virginia, Millard Fillmore, Whig-New York Franklin Pierce, Dem .- N. H., James Buchanan, Dem.—Pa., Abraham Lincoln, Rep.-Kentucky, Andrew Johnson, Dem.-N. C. Ulysses S. Grant, Rep.—Ohio, Rutherford B. Hayes, Rep.—Ohio, James A. Garfield, Rep.—Ohio, Chester A. Arthur, Rep .-- Vermont, Grover Cleveland, Dem.-N. Jersey,

DIED OFFICE 1789 to 1797, Dec. 14, 1799 1797 to 1801, July 4, 1826 1801 to 1809, July 4, 1826 1809 to 1817, June 28, 1836 1817 to 1825, July 4, 1831 1825 to 1829, Feb. 23, 1848 1829 to 1837, June 8, 1845 1837 to 1841, July 24, 1862 April 4, 1841 1841, 1841 to 1845, Jan. 17, 1862 1845 to 1849, June 15, 1849 1849 to 1850, July 9, 1850 1850 to 1853, Mar. 10, 1874 1853 to 1857, Oct. 8, 1869 1857 to 1861, June 1, 1868 1861 to 1865, Apr. 15, 1865 1865 to 1869, July 31, 1875 1869 to 1877, July 23, 1885 1877 to 1881, Jan. 17, 1893 Sept. 19, 1881 1881 1881 to 1885, Nov. 18, 1886 1885, to 1889.

Benjamin Harrison, Rep.—Ohio, 1889 to 1893, Mar. 13, 1900. Grover Cleveland, Dem.—N. Jersey, 1893 to 1897. William McKinley, Rep.—Ohio, 1897 to 1901, Sept. 13, 1901. Theodore Roosevelt, Rep.—N. York, 1901.

GOVERNORS OF MAINE.

1820 William King, Bath.

1821 William D .Williamson, Bangor, Acting.

1821 Benjamin Ames, Bath, Acting

1822 Albion K. Parris, Paris.

1827 Enoch Lincoln, Portland, (d).

1829 Nathan Cutler, Farmington, Acting.

1830 Jona G. Hunton, Readfield.

1831 Samuel E. Smith, Wiscasset.

1834 Robert P. Dunlap, Brunswick.

1838 Edward Kent, Bangor.

1839 John Fairfield, Saco.

1841 Edward Kent, Bangor.

1842 John Fairfield, Saco.

1843 John Fairfield, Saco, (elected to U. S. Senate).

1843 Edw. Kavanagh, Newcastle, Acting.

1844 Hugh J. Anderson, Belfast.

1847 John W. Dana, Fryeburg.

1850 John Hubbard, Hallowell.

1853 William G. Crosby, Belfast.

1855 Anson P. Morrill, Readfield.

1856 Samuel Wells, Portland.

1857 Hannibal Hamlin, Hampden (elected U. S. Senate).

1857 Joseph H. Williams, Augusta, Acting.

1858 Lot M. Morrill, Augusta.

HISTORICAL

1861	Israel Washburn, Jr.,	Orono	
1863	Abner Coburn,	Skowhegan	
1864	Samuel Cony,	Augusta	
1867	Joshua L. Chamberlain,	Brun s wi c k	
1871	Sidney Perham,	Paris	
1874	Nelson Dingley, Jr.,	Lewiston	
1876	Selden Connor,	Augusta	
1879	Alonzo Garcelon,	Lewiston	
1880	Daniel F. Davis,	Corinth	
1881	Harris M. Plaisted,	Bangor	
1883	Frederick Robie,	Gorham	
1887	Joseph R. Bodwell,	Hallowell	Died Dec. 15, 1887
1887	S. S. Marble,	Waldoboro	Acting
1889	Edwin C. Burleigh,	Bangor	
1893	Henry B. Cleaves,	Portland	
1897	Llewellyn Powers,	Houlton	
1901	John Fremont Hill,	Augusta	

PRESENT U. S. SENATORS FROM MAINE.

William P. Frye,	Lewiston	1883-1907
Eugene Hale,	Ellsworth	1887-1905

REPRESENTATIVES TO CONGRESS FROM MAINE.

Amos L. Allen,	Alfred	Lawyer
Chas. E. Littlefield,	Rockland	Lawyer
Edwin C. Burleigh,	Augusta	Editor
Llewellyn Powers,	Houlton	Lawyer

GOVERNMENT OF MAINE.

The following arrangement for Councilor Districts, for the ten years ending 1912, was adopted by the Legislature of 1902-3.

- I York, 1903, '04, '07, '08, '09, '10, Charles H. Prescott, Bidde-Oxford, 1905, '06, '11, '12, ford, *Chairman*.
- 2 Cumberland, one for each year, Chas. Sumner Cook, Portland.
- 3 Androscoggin, 1907, '08, '11, '12, Sylvester J. Walton, Skow-Somerset, 1903, '04, '09, '10, hegan. Franklin, 1905, '06,
- 4 Kennebec, 1903, '4, '9, '10, '11, '12, Wm. T. Haines, Water-Lincoln, 1905, '06, ville. Sagadahoc, 1907, '08,
- 5 Hancock, 1903, '04, '09, '10, Edward E. Chase, Bluehill. Knox, 1907, '08, Waldo, 1905, '06, '11, '12,
- 6 Penobscot, 1903, '4, '5, '6, '9, '10, '11, '12, Nath'l M. Jones, Piscataquis, 1907, '08, Bangor.
- 7 Aroostook, 1907, '8, '9, '10, '11, '12, George A. Murchie, Washington, 1903, '04, '05, '06, Calais.

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	OFFICE	SALARY
Byron Boyd, Augusta,	Secretary of State,	\$1,500
*Arthur I. Brown, Belfast,	Deputy Secretary of State,	1,500
J. E. Alexander, Richmond,	Chief Clerk to Sec. of State	, 1,200
*Abel D. Russell, Weld,	En'g Clerk to Sec. of State,	1,000
Anna P. Ladd, Augusta,	Clerk to Secretary of State,	OOO, I
*O. Smith, Litchfield,	State Treasurer,	2,000
Geo. M. Seiders, Portland,	Attorney-General,	1,000
A. B. Farnham, Bangor,	Adjutant-general,	1,500
N. S. Purinton, W. Bowdoin	, Private Sec. to Governor,	1,200

HISTORICAL

Francis Keefe, Eliot,	Messenger.	
*Addie French, Winthrop,	Stenographer to Exec. Dept.	
*W. W. Stetson, Auburn,	State Supt. Public Schools,	1,500
*Edgar E. Ring, Orono,	Land Agt. and Forest Com.,	1,000
*Charles W. Curtis, Brewer,	Clerk.	
*S. W. Carr, Bowdoinham,	Insurance Commissioner,	1,500
Chas. W. Fletcher, Augusta,	Deputy Ins. Commissioner,	1,000
*F. E. Timberlake, Phillips,	Bank Examiner,	1,800
*E. C. Stevens, Chelsea,	Supt. of Public Buildings,	1,200
J. M. Leavitt, Kennebunk'rt,	State Liquor Commissioner,	1,500
*E. C. Milliken,Portland,	Pension Clerk,	1,200
*S. W. Matthews, Caribou,	Com. Indus'l and Labor Stat.	1,500
*Charles J. House, Monson,	Clerk.	
A. W. Gilman, Foxcroft,	Com. of Agriculture,	1,500
C. E. Atwood, Biddeford,	Inspector W., F., M., etc.	
Joseph B. Peaks, Dover,		2,500
Benj. F. Chadbourne, Biddef		2,000
Parker Spofford, Bucksport,		2,000
	Railroad Commiss'rs,	
*E. C. Farrington, Fryeburg,	Clerk to R. R. Commiss'rs,	1,500
Francis C. Peaks, Dover,	Assistant Clerk,	1,200
Otis Hayford, Canton,		1,500
George Pottle, Lewiston,		1,500
	State Assessors,	
*F. M. Simpson, Bangor,		1,500
James Plunmer, Augusta,	Clerk to State Assessors,	1,000
Leonard D. Carver, Augusta	State Librarian,	OOO, I
Ernest W. Emery, Augusta,	Assistant Librarian.	
Mary L. Carver, Augusta,	Cataloguer.	
Edw. Wiggin, Presque Isle,	Clerk to Supt. Pub. Schools,	000, I
Chas. B. Caldwell, Augusta,	Treasurer's Clerk,	1,500
Melvin W, Wiswell, Brewer	Treasurer's Clerk,	1,000

Daniel W. Emery, Augusta, Thomas Clark, Tremont, Charles E. Davis, Portland, L. T. Carleton, Winthrop,	Clerk to Adjt. General,	I,000 I,000
Henry O. Stanley, Dixfield,		1,000
Edgar E. Ring, Orono,		1,000
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Keeper of State Arsenal,

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H. P. Farrow, Belmont (Ct.) Inspector of Dams and Reservoirs.

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Trustees—salary, \$2.00 per day and travel.
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Chas. E. Field, Bangor.
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Thomas White, Bangor.
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Officers.

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Vermont R. Luce, Supervisor of Male Wards.
Mrs. Annie D. McLean, Supervisor of Female Wards.
John A .Getchell, Hospital Clerk.
Warren P. Doughty, Superintendent's Clerk.

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P. H. S. Vaughn, M. D., (salary, \$1,200) Assistant Superintendent. (Elected superintendent).

Burt F. Howard, M. D., (salary, \$700) Second Assistant.

Charles F. Perry, Steward.

Charles S. Pearl, Treasurer.

Adelaide C. Brown, Matron.

Frank D. Friend, Supervisor of Male Wards.

Revs. C. H. Cutler, Edward McSweeney, A. E. Kingsley, Robert A. Jordan, Chaplains.

Jessie J. Glenn, Supervisor of Female Wards and Chief of Training School.

Leslie W. Somers, Hospital Clerk.

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STATE PRISON-THOMASTON.

Hillman Smith, (salary, \$1,800) Warden. Arthur C. Wyman, (salary, \$1,000) Deputy Warden.

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Board meetings third Tuesday of February, May, August and November.

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Trustees—salary, \$2.00 per day and travel.

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Incorporated February 29, 1872. Organized November 12, 1872. Opened January 20, 1875. Established as a State institution, March 17, 1899.

Trustees.

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John O. Shaw, Bath.

John M. S. Hunter, Farmington.

J. L. Merrick, Waterville.

Trustees Appointed by Corporation.

S. T. Snipe, Bath; H. A. Duncan, Bath; W. H. Watson, Bath.

Executive Committee.

S. T. Snipe, Bath; W. H. Watson, Bath; John O. Shaw, Bath.

Committee on Reception and Disposal of Children.

W. H. Watson, Bath;

J. L. Merrick, Waterville.

S. T. Snipe, Bath;

INSTITUTIONS OF A PUBLIC NATURE.

MAINE GENERAL HOSPITAL --- PORTLAND.

Opened October, 1874.

Officers—William L. Putman, Portland, President; Franklin R. Barrett, Portland, Secretary and Treasurer.

Directors.

Elected by the Corporation-S. W. Thaxter, President;

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Chas. D. Smith, M. D., Portland, Resident Physician and Superintendent; Mrs. Hannah E. Rogers, Matron; Miss Amelia L. Smith, Superintendent of Nurses.

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Opened July, 1891.

Seth M. Carter, Auburn, President; D. J. Callahan, Lewiston, Secretary; L. G. Jordan, Lewiston, Treasurer.

Directors.

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EASTERN MAINE GENERAL HOSPITAL-BANGOR.

Opened June 7, 1892.

Officers—Chas. Hamlin, Bangor, President; Edw. Stetson, Bangor, Vice-President; Chas. H. Bartlett, Secretary; Chas. D. Crosby, Treasurer.

Trustees—President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer ex-officio, B. B. Thatcher, Hugh R. Chaplin, Hiram H. Fogg,



Edward McSweeny, Isaiah K. Stetson, J. L. Crosby, Prescott H. Vose, Fred W. Ayer, Arthur Chaplin.

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Surgical Staff—W. H. Simmons, W. C. Mason, W. L. Hunt, Daniel A. Robinson.

Adjunct Surgeons—E. B. Sanger, Daniel McCann, John B. Thompson, Luther S. Mason.

Surgeons—Herbert T. Clough, eye and ear; Harry Butler, throat and nose; L. S. Chilcott, dental.

Acting Pathologist and Bacteriologist-B. L. Bryant.

MAINE EYE AND EAR INFIRMARY-PORTLAND.

Officers—John F. Hill, Augusta, President; Albion Little, Portland; Ammi Whitney, Portland, Vice-Presidents; F. W. Searle, Portland, Secretary and Superintendent; F. E. Boothby, Portland, Treasurer.

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Attending Surgeons-E. E. Holt, D. J. Clough.

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Physicians—Addison S. Thayer, A. K. P. Meserve.

NOSE AND THROAT DEPARTMENT.

Surgeons—Owen Smith, Gilman Davis.

Matron and Head Nurse—Miss Edith Whitlock.

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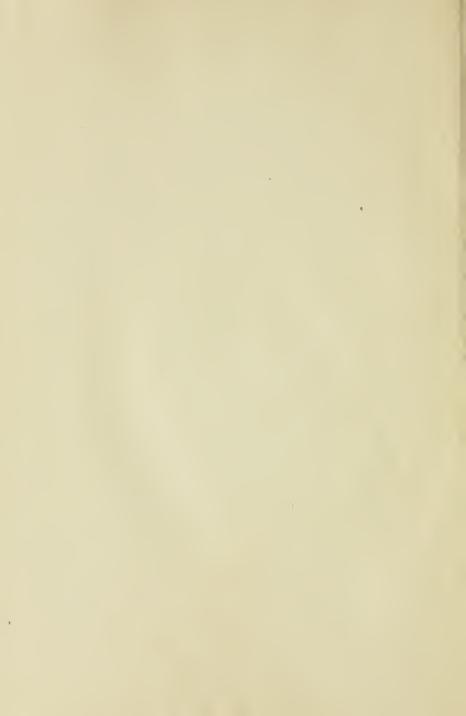
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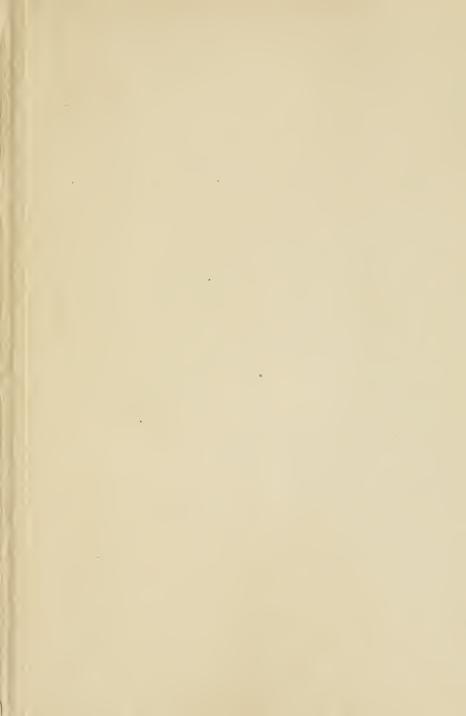












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